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EUROPE.

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THE FRENCH CIVIL WAR.

Desperate Fighting in Neuilly and Levallois—Asnières Still Held by the Versaillists—Heavy Cannonading—The Premises Indemnity—The Forts to be Surrendered to the Government.

LONDON, April 21.—A dispatch from Versailles says the assertion of the Communists that they have recovered the positions lost on the 18th, is false. The Parisians have been driven to the right bank of the Seine, and have not attempted to return to Asnières. A dispatch dated at Paris last evening, says there has been a desperate house to house fighting all day at Neuilly and Levallois. The forces of the Assembly have been reinforced at Neuilly, but the artillery of the Federalists (Communists) defends with great tenacity the barricade opposite the position of the Versailles troops. Cannonading was incessant throughout the day. The Versaillists have not occupied the village of Asnières, but are intrenched at the railway station and in the Colombes wood. The fire of the Versailles batteries greatly irks the Nationalists, but though they have suffered heavy loss they are still undaunted. A decisive engagement is impending at the Maillot Gate, the ramparts adjoining which are a heap of ruins. The Arch of Triumph is suffering terribly from the bombardment, and shells reach even the Rue de Calysee. The *Rien Public* (newspaper) refuses to stop publication. Compositors of most of the journals are engaged in rioting. The *Daily News'* special dispatch from Versailles says the Parisians intend to surrender those of the forts around Paris which are still in their possession, to the lawful Government. The five hundred millions of francs indemnity due on April 1 is still unpaid. The barricade in the Rue de Rivoli in Paris is represented to be extremely formidable. A Versailles dispatch of today says that several barricades, with a number of prisoners and several cannon, were captured yesterday at Neuilly. The cannon have been presented to M. Thiers, who, in some remarks in reply, congratulated the troops upon their achievement.

Versaillist Ironclads in the Left Bank of the Seine—Irresistible Journals.

PARIS, April 21.—Gen. CECLOWITZ has been wounded. The Versailles Army have thrown up intrenchments on the left bank of the Seine, and are now concentrating at Puteaux and Courbevoire, with the apparent intention of making a sortie against Levallois and Villiers. The cannonade of the Maillot Gate continues. The journals whose suppression has recently been ordered, continue to appear.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

Alsatian Deputies Against France Supported by Germany—Expulsion Surveillance of the Forces Continued in Paris—Penal Changes in Alsace and Lorraine.

LONDON, April 21.—It is announced that Germany supports the claims of the inhabitants of Alsace against France.

VERSAILLES, April 21.—The Prussian military authorities have required the Government to furnish information as to the number of troops daily arriving at Versailles. The Duke of Broglie has returned to his post as French Ambassador to London.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The provinces of Alsace and German Lorraine, formerly belonging to France, having been ceded to Germany, the postal system in those provinces is now under the direction and control of the General Post Department at Berlin. Correspondence for Alsace—the Departments of Upper and Lower Rhine—and for German Lorraine, the Arrondissement of Metz, Sarguemund, Thionville, Chateau Salins and Saarburg, is, therefore, subject to the same rates of postage and conditions of payment as the correspondence addressed to other parts of Germany, and should be sent in the United States and German mails.

THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

Further Explanations of the Budget—Examples of the Country Hallowed—Increase of the Tax on Incomes.

LONDON, April 21.—In the House of Commons, last night, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in continuation of his explanation of the budget, said that in order to produce similar results to those attained in the United States, he proposed the placing of a half-penny stamp on each box containing 100 matches, while a still higher rate was to be imposed on wax lights. He estimated the result of this means of taxation at £350,000. Mr. LOWE then estimated the result of the withdrawal of certain exemptions from taxation as on dividends on stocks belonging to foreigners, and held abroad, and the imposition of further duties on legacies and successions proportioned to the amount thereof as £630,000. The remainder of the deficiency in the revenue was to be had from an increase of the tax on incomes, by which the receipts of the Government would be raised to the amount required to meet the expenditures of the fiscal year, viz., £73,000,000.

Mr. LOWE, at the conclusion of his remarks, was greeted by the cheers of the ministerialists. A running debate followed, generally hostile to the budget, after which a division of the House was demanded on the welsh duty. The vote was taken, and resulted in a majority of 151 for the Government.

Tuesday's Proceedings—Passage of the Mutiny Bill by the Lords—Discussion of the Paris Declaration of 1856 Against Privateering.

LONDON, April 21.—The House of Lords to-night passed the Mutiny bill.

In the House of Commons several members gave notice of motions adverse to Mr. Lowe's financial plans.

The subject of the declaration of Paris of 1856 against privateering, and establishing the principle that neutral flag covers enemy's goods came up.

Mr. BENTINCK argued in favor of the withdrawal of England from the agreement, and advocated the resumption of the right of search. He believed the United States and other Powers would disregard the declaration in case of war.

Sir ROUNDELL PALMER, Mr STEPHEN CAVE, and others, spoke to the same effect.

The Attorney-General replied, defending the Paris declaration. He said it was impossible to escape its obligations.

Mr. DISRAELI lamented that the subject had not been introduced earlier, so that it might have been brought to the attention of the recent conference of the Powers in London. It was agreed that the declaration was injurious to England, but it must be respected until it is formally revoked.

Mr. GLADSTONE insisted that the declaration was binding, and its revocation was not to be thought of. The late Conference was unauthorized to reopen the settlement of 1856.

The subject was then dropped.

The House went into Committee of Supply, when the Budget was violently assailed.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Excitement in the Spanish Cortes—Castelian Denounces the House of Savoy.

MADRID, April 20.—During a discussion in the Cortes today, Señor CASTELLAR, the distinguished Republican leader, spoke in strong terms of condemnation of the House of Savoy. He was called to order by several members on the Ministerial side of the Chamber, and a scene of confusion ensued which only terminated at the adjournment.

GERMANY.

Another Pamphlet Attributed to Napoleon III.—Services of the Prussian System and Suggestions for Reforms.

From the London Times of April 1.

An anonymous pamphlet attributed to the Emperor NAPOLEON has just been published at Wilhelmshoehe. It bears the title *Note sur l'Organisation Militaire de la Confederation de l'Allemagne du Nord, Janvier*, 1871, and contains an accurate account of the military institutions of Germany. In addition to this there are a few prefatory remarks, explaining the superiority of the Prussian system and recommending certain improvements on the same pattern to be made in France. The following is the introduction to this remarkable brochure:

"Misfortune is a stern but able mistress. She frequently teaches us lessons which, owing to the force of habit and the natural short-sightedness of man, we neglected in days of easy prosperity. Only when fatal experience has opened our eyes are we willing to listen to the voice of reason, and to notice the progress made by neighbors. Before the unfortunate campaign of 1870, the French adopted the opinion of those who thought that our military strength was adequate to maintain our political position. People and Government were the habit of denying the advantages of the Prussian organization, which consists in universal conscription, numerous and serviceable reserves, and the system of forming *corps d'armée* according to the territorial division of the State. Before the same campaign the French Artillery Committee would not admit that the Prussian cannon were superior to our own, and more effective than any we had in our possession. The Engineer Committee asserted that we would not have too many fortresses, and that those we possessed were quite competent to resist the attack of modern artillery. The same Committee objected to the proposal to raze one-half our fortresses and to rebuild the remaining half on the system which has made Antwerp one of the strongest places in the world. It required the melancholy events we have witnessed to induce an eminent engineer officer, Gen. COSSEIGNERIE, to declare before a Council of War that, without the assistance of the entire army of Marshal BAZAINE, Metz could not resist a fortnight's siege. Again, before the instructive campaign of 1870, our military administrative authorities would not entertain the idea of dividing the territory into Military Districts and providing cadres with the full material required for taking the field. In view of these facts, it is a matter of the greatest moment to inquire into the deficiencies of our organization, and ascertain where improvements may be introduced. The best means of pointing out our shortcomings is to compare the Prussian system, which is sixty years old and has been continually improving. To do this is the object of the present inquiry. A sensible Government ought to aim at having as few soldiers as possible under arms in time of peace, and increasing them to the maximum in time of war. To fulfill these two desiderata it is necessary to levy the largest possible number of men, but to keep them under arms only as long as required to fit them for their task. This leads inevitably to universal conscription, for although, to save money, but a portion of the able-bodied may be actually drafted every year, it is only just that all should be liable, and that every one should defend the country in the hour of danger. Prussia's principle is universal compulsion—a principle which satisfies the demand of the human heart for equality. The poor man, seeing that the rich is subject to the same law with himself, willingly submits to what he might otherwise consider a severe dispensation. The morale of the army is improved by all classes of society being represented in it, and patriotism, honor and discipline, being thus fostered in a large part of the nation, it follows that the manly education imparted must exercise considerable influence upon the destiny of the country. The Prussian Army is a school in which every able-bodied man learns the profession of war, and acquires the habit of doing his duty. The young man called in as a recruit is not only instructed in the details of military drill, but also learns to appreciate the duty of fidelity to the King and devotion to the country. An army consisting of the élite of the nation, instead of mercenaries, and based upon the principle of authority, which is by no means opposed to the civil rights of the citizen, is the greatest protection to any State. Such an army is like a ball balanced in a vessel to enable it to weather the storm. Such an army is formed on a very different basis to that we have adopted after and in consequence of the many revolutions we have passed through. The idea of so many Frenchmen that they are not serving their Commander-in-Chief, but their country, is only a pretext for breach of faith. Without authority there is no army, in a monarchy the sovereign is necessarily the Commander-in-Chief, and, representing, as he does, the nation, has a right to exact obedience from every soldier. Without the recognition of this principle there is neither discipline, nor military rank, nor special orders. MONTESQUIEU was right when he said that those institutions are established by man, man subsequently is formed by those very institutions. There are few more interesting investigations than those which have for their object to ascertain the influence of wise laws faithfully carried out upon the progress of nations, and the best means of conducting such an inquiry is by studying the laws which have made a small people great."

With a view to adapt the Prussian system to France, the Emperor then makes the following propositions:

1. France is to be divided into fourteen provinces, each to furnish a corps d'armée, to be exclusively recruited from that province.

2. Conscription to be made universal, subject to the exceptions admitted in Prussia.

3. The active service in the army to last from the twentieth to the twenty-fourth year; service in the reserve from the twenty-fourth to the twenty-eighth year; service in the militia from the twenty-eighth to the thirty-third year.

4. Educated men to be admitted as volunteers to serve one year only in the line.

5. These volunteers to be eligible as officers in the militia, after passing the necessary examinations.

6. Organization of the staff according to the Prussian model, (which supersedes seniority by personal merit.)

7. The establishment of a military school on the model of the Berlin Military Academy.

8. Above all, we ought to acquire the strict discipline, the unceasing activity and the sense of duty and respect for authority prevailing in the German Army. Our mothers possessed those qualities, and we have inherited them. If they have momentarily disappeared in the vortex of so many revolutions, the present misfortunes, with their invigorating influence, will cause them to revive.

The system laid down by the Emperor is simply a copy of the well-known Prussian organization. Whether the French will submit to its hardships remains to be seen. In Prussia, it required the severe experience of three warlike campaigns and the inbred sobriety of the race to render it acceptable.

The Address in Reply to the Throne Speech.

The following address in reply to the speech from the throne has been drawn up and introduced into the Reichsrath, by members of all political parties:

MOST ILLUSTRIOUS EMPEROR, MOST GRACIOUS EMPEROR AND LORD: Under Divine guidance your Majesty and the united nation have succeeded in reaching a goal so long desired by our ancestors, and so ardently hoped for by the present generation. On more solid foundations than it ever had has the German Empire been restored. To preserve it in the fullness of its strength, and to develop it for the promotion of liberty and peace, is the resolve of the nation.

We beg your Majesty to accept the thanks due to the illustrious Commander-in-Chief of the German Army, due to the bravery and devotion of our troops. We are fully sensible of the benefits conferred upon us by deeds which have not only averted present danger, but protected us from the recurrence of similar troubles in the future. Defeat, and still more the strength added to our frontiers, will henceforth restrain our neighbor.

The dire misfortune France is suffering now, in addition to the calamities of war, confirms a truth which, though often ignored, is never neglected with impunity. In the family of civilized nations, even the most powerful can remain happy only by prudently confining their action to the improvement of their own domestic affairs.

In times past, when her rulers were governed by a doctrine imported from abroad, Germany, too, chose to meddle with the concerns of other nations, and by doing so undermined her own existence. The new Empire is based upon our own views of national and political life, and, armed for defense, will be entirely devoted to works of peace. In her intercourse with foreign nations Germany claims no more for her citizens than that respect which right and international usage accord. Unmoved by hostility or friendship, she is well content to leave other nations to themselves, and will be happy to see them regulate their own affairs as they think fit. Interference with the internal arrangements of other nations will, we hope, never be resorted to again under any pretext or in any form.

Gladly shall we assist your Majesty in solving the problems occasioned by the war and the Constitution of the Empire. Our first endeavors will be directed to the sacred task of healing the wounds inflicted by the war, and fulfilling our duty to those who have sacrificed life or health for the safety of fatherland.

All bills submitted to us will receive our careful attention. We are not surprised at finding that the preparation of bills devolving upon the Administration have been delayed by the war; and we cannot but hope that the legislation of the Empire will be equally efficient as was that of the North German Confederacy. The introduction of North German laws into the Southern States enhances our confidence in the lasting concord of the constituent elements of the Empire, inasmuch as the forces called upon to maintain them are identical.

We are gratified to hear that the war indemnity will be employed for Imperial purposes, and the surplus used to satisfy the just claims of individual States.

The German people cherish the warmest feelings of brotherly sympathy for the inhabitants of the recovered territories. Alsace and Lorraine are also awarded with German constitutions, containing the most glorious phase of German culture and national life. Although the vestiges of the past may in some cases have been obliterated by long estrangement, Alsace and Lorraine have been our own for a thousand years, and the majority of their inhabitants to this day retain their language and national characteristics. We hope that legislation and administration will unite in reviving the German nationality in those splendid provinces, and in strengthening the ties which bind them to us by conciliating their feelings. In this spirit we shall undertake the work of ordering the rearrangements to be introduced in Alsace and Lorraine.

Your Imperial Majesty deems it necessary to be satisfied, and Europe, to be safe, required the establishment of the German Empire. Our national longings for unity have been fulfilled at last, and we have an Empire protected by an Emperor, and placed under the safeguard of its sharper and its laws. After this Germany has no more ardent wish than to achieve victory in the noble strife for peace and liberty and their attendant blessings.

We are the most faithfully devoted subjects of your Imperial Majesty.

DER DEUTSCHE REICHSTAG.

ENGLAND.

The Land-Owners in Peril—Mr. Stuart Mill on the Subject.

Mr. MILL recently issued an "explanatory statement" of the programme of the Land Tenure Reform Association, from which this is an extract:

"The Society are of opinion that in allowing the land to become private property, the State ought to have reserved to itself the unearned income, i. e., the unearned increase from natural causes, and that lapse of time does not extinguish this right, whatever claim to compensation it may establish in favor of the landowners. The land is the original inheritance of all mankind. . . . The Land Tenure Society does not propose to disturb the land-owners in their just acquisitions. But they assert the right of the State to all such accessions of income in the future. Whatever value the land may have acquired at the time when the principle they contend for shall obtain the assent of Parliament, they do not propose to interfere with it, or rather than submit to be especially taxed on that future portion of its rent, a land-owner prefers to relinquish his land to the State, the Society are willing that the State should pay for it at its selling value. By this provision all his just claims will be fully satisfied, while the bargains will still be highly advantageous to the nation, since an individual never gives present money, for a remote profit, anything like what that profit is worth to the State, which is immortal. . . . The State will receive the entire rent of the lands voluntarily sold to it by their possessors, together with a tax on the future increase of rent on those properties which owners have sufficient confidence in the justice and moderation of the State to prefer retaining them."

CUBA.

A New Plan for Extinguishing the Revolt—The Cubans to be Driven into a Corner and Compelled to Submit.

HAVANA, April 21.—According to the *Diario*, the tactics of the Spaniards are to be changed. VALMASEDA intends to confine the war to one section of the country. He proposes to drive the insurgents out of certain jurisdictions, then follow them and force them into submission. VALMASEDA will remain in the jurisdictions of Sancti Spiritus and Moron until the establishment of a military cordon, which will make the passage of the insurgents from the Eastern Department impossible. The *Diario* says this pacification by districts may appear slow, but that it is the only course that will bring back peace. Gen. CEBOLLINO will assume command today.

Heavy Suit Concerning the Japanese Troupe—Arrest of the Manager.

Yesterday Messrs. RISLEY & MCGUIRE, by their attorney, Mr. COMPTON, applied to Judge BRADY, of the Supreme Court, for an order of arrest against THOMAS T. SMITH, the general manager and property-man of the Japanese troupe performing at the San Francisco Music Hall. In their affidavits they set forth the fact of SMITH's original contract with the Japanese, the subsequent transfer of a two-third interest to G. W. BURGESS, the transfer of BURGESS' interest to MCGUIRE, the transfer of SMITH's interest to RISLEY and others, and the subsequent retransfer of the entire troupe to SMITH; claiming that by the retransfer SMITH agreed to pay MCGUIRE & RISLEY and their associates the sum of $15,000 out of the first earnings of the troupe, and that one J. B. MARSHAL should act as the agent and treasurer of the troupe until the money was paid, and that the troupe should not be taken out of the United States without the permission of MCGUIRE & RISLEY. As a basis for his arrest, the plaintiffs claim that in October, 1867, SMITH seized upon all money accruing from said exhibitions, and converted it to his own use; that he removed the troupe to Cuba and other places without their consent and without paying the money then due, and that he resigned said MARSHAL from his office as receiver and agent, and took the entire management and proceeds to himself. Upon this statement Judge BRADY granted an order of arrest, holding SMITH to bail in the sum of $10,000, with which the courteous Deputy Sheriff MCLOUGHLIN called upon Mr. SMITH at the conclusion of the performances last evening, and bell not being forthcoming, escorted him to Ludlow-street Jail.

WASHINGTON.

The Legal-Tender Cases Before the Supreme Court—The Coming International Convention of Christian Associations—A Grand State Dinner—How the Democrats Take Their Recent Defeat—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—It is understood that to-morrow the Supreme Court will decide upon its decision in the legal-tender case reargued this week. But if the decision is made to-morrow it will require some time for the preparation of the opinions, and they will not be announced till near the close of the term, very likely the first Monday in May. Meantime the decision will not be made public, so that it cannot be known whether the former ruling of the Court is sustained or reversed, though the fact that a rehearing has been ordered is deemed equivalent to a reversal of judgment.

LETTERS FOR ALSACE AND LORRAINE.

The postal arrangements of the territory ceded to Germany by France are now under the direction of the General Post-office at Berlin. Accordingly letters designed for post-offices in those provinces should go in the German mails, and the Postmaster at New-York has been directed from here to so forward them in all cases where the postage is properly paid; unless the directions specify another route. By these letters going in the German mails instead of the French mails, a large amount of postage is saved to the recipients. The letter to the New-York office specifies the provinces as Alsace, Department of Upper and Lower Rhine, and German Lorraine, arrondissement of Metz, Sarguemund, Thionville, Chateau Salins and Saarburg.

THE COMING YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN CONVENTION.

The Young Men's Christian Association of Washington, which is engaged in making preparations for the sixteenth annual International Convention of Young Men's Christian Associations, have progressed so far in their arrangements as to be able to issue their circular of information to delegates today. The Convention will meet, as has been before announced, on the 24th of May, and will be in session four or five days. The business sessions will be held at Lincoln Hall, Young Men's Christian Association Buildings, corner of Ninth and D streets, and the deliberations will cover all the important details of Christian Association work throughout the country. There are now nearly 800 Associations in the United States and British Provinces, and the majority of these, it is believed, will be represented in the Convention, so that a delegate body of 700 or 800 representative men of the different denominations will assemble here, marking an event of unusual importance in the religious world. This large attendance is assured from the character of the arrangements made by the Committee for reduced fares on the railroads. Many of the prominent lines have acceded to a carefully guarded system of reduction for this especial purpose, ranging from two-thirds regular fare to half fare. These arrangements extend to Halifax, Montreal, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul, Omaha, San Francisco, Denver, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Louisville, Memphis, New-Orleans, Montgomery, Macon, Augusta, Charleston and intermediate points. An especial appeal is made to the Southern associations to participate in the Convention. The Committee say:

"One influence which had much weight in deciding on Washington as the proper place for holding the Convention, was the belief that it would result in an increased representation from the Southern States, and the hope that the permanent result might be a thorough revival of Christian Association work throughout the South. We therefore earnestly entreat our friends of the Southern Associations, and also those in cities desiring to establish Associations to send us a full and strong representation; and we trust we may see a large number availing themselves of this opportunity of mingling with us on this occasion, giving us their hearty co-operation in prayer, gathering fresh zeal themselves, and receiving, as we are sure they will, a cordial welcome from all quarters, and a God-speed in their work of peace and love."

A STATE DINNER IN PROSPECT.

On the 29th inst. the President will give a grand State dinner to the Diplomatic Corps, of which the presence of the Joint High Commission will be the most distinguished feature.

THE DEFEATED CANDIDATE FOR DELEGATE.

Hon. R. T. MERRICK, the defeated Democratic candidate for Delegate in this District, shows a very commendable spirit in view of the result, and one which might be copied elsewhere. He this afternoon called on Gov. COOKE, at his office, corner of Seventeenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, and, after a cordial greeting from Gov. COOKE, Mr. MERRICK said that he acknowledged his defeat like a man, and that as long as he had not been able to see Gen. CHIPMAN he would ask him, (Gen. COOKE,) to extend his compliments to him. He could not congratulate him, as he had done all he could to oppose his election, but he would say that in view of the arduous work the successful candidate had before him, he would offer in behalf of the Democracy of the district the proffer of their co-operation with him in any and everything which would benefit the people of this District. He closed by stating that he had fought this campaign with all the might he could, and he now emerged from it with no feeling of ill-will or harshness to any one. Gov. COOKE replied that it would give him pleasure to communicate his message to Gen. CHIPMAN, and it was doubly satisfactory to see a defeated candidate honorably acknowledge the victory of his opponent before even the smoke of the battle-field had lifted. He was glad to hear the co-operation of the Democracy was available for the interests of the District, and he had no doubt that, under the new form of government, our people would prosper more than heretofore.

THE CHIPPEWAS.

Some years ago the Chippewa Indians surrendered their lands west of Lake Superior, the treaty reserving the rights of half-breeds and Indians of mixed blood to certain lands for which scrip should issue to them. The issue of the scrip has been going on for eight or ten years. A great deal of fraud has been practiced by white settlers passing themselves off as mixed bloods, and claiming lands to which they had no right, and also by Indians from other tribes, being hired by white men to personate Chippewas, for the purpose of getting the scrip. The Secretary of the Interior has just stopped all further issues of scrip at present, and has appointed a Commission of trustworthy gentlemen to go and investigate, and report as to the exact condition of the lands, and the extent and character of the frauds. The Commission consists of HENRY S. NEAL, of Ohio; GEO. A. CROWELL, of Minnesota; SELDEN N. CLARKE, Agent of the Lake Superior Chippewas, and EDWARD F. SMITH, Agent of the Chippewas of the Mississippi. The Secretary has also appointed JOHN LODAIR and ROBERT G. LEWIN to survey and define the boundary between the Cherokee lands in the Indian Territory and the States of Arkansas, Missouri and Kansas, which is in dispute.

LAWS OF CONGRESS.

The laws passed the third session of the last Congress, and the first session, just closed, of the present Congress, will issue from the Government Printing-office in about two weeks. Another edition is included in the statutes at large published by LITTLE & BROWN, and besides, the laws are published in the quarto *Globe* and two newspapers in each State.

OCEAN STEAMERS IN WAR.

Secretary ROBESON has a plan to submit to Congress at its next session for establishing ocean steamer lines which may be used as naval vessels in time of war by the Government.

INDIAN GOODS.

An office has been opened in New-York by Gen. PARKER, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, where samples of goods advertised for can be seen, and where the Board of Indian Commissioners, in accordance with the provisions of a recent law, can supervise all contracts and purchases.

THE LOAN.

The total subscription to the new loan up to the present date is $60,700,000.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE NEW LOAN.

The total subscriptions to the new loan thus far received amount to $60,670,000.

THE MAY INTEREST.

The Secretary of the Treasury has authorized the different United States Assistant Treasurers and Depositaries to commence the payment of interest due May 1, 1871, on Monday, 24th inst., without rebate.

FUNDS OF THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Gen. B. F. BUTLER, the President and Treasurer of the Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, delivered to the Secretary of the Treasury today $100,350 five-twenty bonds of the act of March 3, 1865, to be exchanged for the new five per cent. loan, in the name of the above institution. These bonds are on account of a subscription made by him some days ago.

THE PACIFIC SLOPE.

Dion and Rudolphe at Billiards—Rewarding a San Captain for Services to the Engineer—Arrivals from China—Snow Murders—Miscellaneous.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—JOSEPH DION beat RUDOLPHE this evening in a three-ball French carom game, scoring 500 in the 106th inning against 472. There was a constant wrangling throughout the entire game.....Admiral WINSLOW has had manufactured, on behalf of the Government, a gold watch and chain costing $600, for presentation to Capt. THOMAS LONG, in recognition of his services rendered to the wrecked war-steamer *Saginaw*.....The steamship *Sacramento*, from Panama, and the ship *Sunmana*, from Hong Kong, have arrived. Among the latter's passengers are J. G. DEVEN and wife, E. S. SPENCER and daughter, and E. R. WOODWORTH and wife, who will leave for Chicago to-morrow on the Pacific Railroad.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—The storm on the 17th was general throughout the State, and was accompanied by thunder and lightning in localities where no such phenomena were ever before witnessed.....JOHN ROBINSON shot and killed PETER ARELA, in a land dispute, at San Pasqual, near San Diego, yesterday.....JAMES FINK was shot and killed by his wife, at Eureka, Nevada, in a drunken brawl.....A number of French women who have been working in the mines for the last eighteen years, in men's clothing, were arrested in a saloon here this evening, their sex being discovered for the first time.....The firm of VAISEN & CO., auctioneers, has failed. Liabilities are reported at $250,000; assets, under $100,000. The indebtedness of the firm is mostly in Eastern houses.....The wife of Capt. JACOBS, a lumber dealer, at Rockland, was killed at the railroad station there while getting off the cars last evening.....Today, Mr. RUSSELL, a newspaper publisher, obtained a verdict of $2,000 in the libel suit brought by him against Mr. MARRIOT, of the *News Letter*.....GEORGE W. BIRD, at one time County Clerk of Monterey, while suffering from delirium tremens in the Monterey Jail today, horribly mutilated his arm and leg, and bled to death. BIRD was forty-seven years of age, belonged to New-York, and leaves a wife and five children.....A grocer named PETERSON, residing at the corner of Hanover and Twenty-sixth streets, killed his wife and himself last evening. The bodies were almost swimming in the blood that gathered in great pools on the floor, and in the hand of PETERSON was a knife covered with blood.

LINNEBOW, convicted of robbing a Chinaman, and sent to State's Prison for one year, was released today, under a decision of the Supreme Court, that Chinese testimony is inadmissible. In the meantime, his wife obtained a divorce and remarried. She also obtained custody of the property. LINNEBOW will now endeavor to have the divorce declared void.

The Mrs. Fair Trial Regarded as a Farce—Heavy Shipments Eastward—Another Indian Massacre.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—The counsel for Mrs. FAIR concluded his argument, which has lasted two days, this morning. Mr. COOK, his associate, then commenced speaking, and will probably conclude to-night. District-Attorney BYRNE will follow, closing the argument, and the case will probably go to the jury on Saturday. The trial, as conducted, is generally looked upon by the public as a farce. The interest in it is already abating, under the impression of the result of a foregone conclusion.....A quantity of wool was shipped from San Francisco March 28, via the Pacific and Chicago, Burlington and Missouri Railroads, and delivered in Pittsfield, Mass., on the 15th of April. This time has been so satisfactory that probably a large part of this season's clip will be sent overland. About one-sixth of this season's clip of wool has already been received in this city, and was mainly bought at higher prices than ever before realized by Eastern manufacturers for immediate consumption. California will this year be the second wool-growing State in the Union. Thirty tons of silk goods, seventy tons of tea, and twenty tons of California wool were shipped eastward by the freight train this morning.

Tucson, Arizona, advices to April 14, are: Yesterday the Indians attacked San Pedro, a settlement near Camp Grant, and killed ALEXANDER MCKINNEY, H. C. LONG, OWEN CHAPIN and EDWARD HUTER and wounded NICHOLAS GIFFE. The Indians stole a lot of stock and arms and ammunition. This settlement, which has existed for six years, will be abandoned at once. Numerous other outrages have been reported. Ration tickets, which had been issued at the reservation of Camp Grant recently, were found on the Indians killed during the recent raids. The Indians appear to be supplied with government arms and ammunition.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—There was a general depression in stocks this week. Belcher, 85; Crown Point, 164; Original Hidden Treasure, 6¾; Alpha, 8; Golden Chariot, 35; Savage, 41; Challar, 77; Hale and Norcross, 61; Gould and Curry, 59; Ophir, 8; Yellow Jacket, 63¾.

THE SOUTH.

Widening of the Bonnet Carre Crevasse—Severe Storm in Missouri—Horse Thieves in Prison.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 21.—The Bonnet Carre crevasse is now 200 feet wide and very deep.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 20.—Last night a terrific wind storm visited this city, and today a high wind has prevailed, with a slight fall of snow, which is unprecedented.....Three horse thieves were today brought into this city from the Cherokee nation, and inside of twenty-four hours they were tried, waived examination, made a confession, and sent to jail. The detectives who captured these men were followed with their captives by a band of Indians, led by white men, to within a short distance of Baxter Springs. They are supposed to be accomplices.

The Bonnet Carre Crevasse on the Mississippi—Twelve Miles of the Jackson Railroad Submerged.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 21.—The Bonnet Carre crevasse is reported to be now 200 feet wide and twelve feet deep. The Jackson Railroad people have commenced working up it. They have everything required, and hope to close it in a week or ten days. The country between the crevasse and Lake Pontchartrain is overflowed, and twelve miles of the Jackson Railroad is under water, the passengers, mails, &c., by that road coming by boat from the Pass Manchac.

THE WEST.

Robbery of a Jewelry-Store in Chicago—The Illinois and Michigan Canal.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Hoffman's jewelry establishment, No. 62 North Clark-street, was entered just before daybreak, and a tray of new watches and a quantity of diamonds, worth in all between $5,000 and $6,000, were stolen. The opening of the Illinois and Michigan Canal took place yesterday and today. There is a perfect gorge of boats at Bridgeport locks, while a large number have reached the city. The work of deepening the canal will be completed in about two months. The bed of the canal has been deepened from eight to ten feet for twenty-seven miles, two miles of which have been of solid rock. This work has been performed at an expense of $3,000,000. It will not only give us water communication with the Gulf States, but clears the Chicago River. All that remains now is clearing the bed of the canal of the earth which has accumulated during the progress of the work.

Execution of a Murderer.

CHICAGO, April 21.—BOYER, the half-breed, was executed at Cheyenne, Wyoming Territory, today, for the murder of McCLEARY and LOWRY. Upon the scaffold he said: "Think of me! I so cry! I no woman! I man! I die brave!" He said he loved the Great Spirit and was going to see him.

THE EAST.

An Investigation into the Measles Disease Most Excellent—The Christian Brothers.

BOSTON, Mass., April 21.—A joint special Committee of the City Council will investigate the matter of the alleged sale of diseased meat in Boston.....The *Christian Register* Association entertained some 200 gentlemen and ladies at a dinner at the Commonwealth Hotel last evening, in celebration of the fifth anniversary of the commencement of the publication of that paper. Rev. E. E. HALE presided.

FIRES.

Losses in Maine and New-Hampshire.

BANGOR, Me., April 21.—A fire, this morning, in Pickering's square, burnt out the groceries of R. H. CROCKER, HARDON & MILLER, and H. C. GOULD, the saloons of JAMES DUGAN and G. GILLOGLY, and the shoe-shop of FRYE, FURY, together with several tenements adjoining. The stocks of CROCKER and of HARDON & MILLER were entirely destroyed. Their insurance is $4,000. The entire loss is not ascertained.

CONCORD, N. H., April 21.—The new hotel at Laconia, owned by S. U. TUCK, was destroyed by fire this morning. The lessee, W. G. & H. N. COLBURN, loss nearly all their furniture. The building was insured for $12,000, and the personal property for $6,000. The total loss is about $15,000.

THE WEATHER.

Regular Report of the Official Observations and Prognostications.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, April 21, 1½ P. M.—The barometer has continued to fall on the Pacific coast, with increasing cloudiness; has fallen at the Rocky Mountain stations, with a rapid increase of temperature; has risen from Minnesota to Texas, with fresh north and north-west winds. Clouds and light rain have very generally prevailed on the lakes, although it partially cleared away Friday morning on Ontario and Erie. The clear weather of Thursday night in the Middle and Gulf States is today followed by an increased temperature and partial cloudiness, with fresh north-west and south-west winds.

PROBABILITIES.

It is probable that on Saturday an increase of pressure, with clearing-up weather, will be experienced on the lakes and Eastern States, and partially cloudy and clear weather on the South Atlantic and Gulf States.

Observations on Mount Washington.

SUMMIT OF MOUNT WASHINGTON, April 21.—Observations made at 7 o'clock, P. M.: Barometer, 29.80; change, plus 0.15; thermometer, 31°; change, minus 7°; relative humidity, 6.8a. Wind west; velocity of wind, 15 miles per hour. It has been clear most of the day. At 4 o'clock P. M. clouds began to drive over the mountain but now it is clear on the summit again.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

BOSTON, April 21.—BENJAMIN F. NUTTELL, of Reading, a married man, and possessed of considerable property, hanged himself yesterday. For some time past he believed he would lose his property and become poor.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 21.—A desperado, named CHARLES KEEFE, charged with grand larceny, was pursued by two officers today over a mile, and after being fired at several times, was finally shot in two places and severely wounded.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—In the libel case of ROBERT FOX, proprietor of the Arcadian Theatre, against JOHN TIMOTHY, editor of the *Sunday Mail*, the jury rendered a verdict of guilty. Sentence was deferred.

FREDERICK, Md., April 21.—In the case of CRAWFORD BLACK, on trial here for the homicide of W. W. MCKAIG, Jr., at Cumberland, in October last, the jury, this afternoon, brought in a verdict of not guilty, on the ground that the shooting was done in self-defense.

ST. LOUIS, April 21.—WM. H. SMITH, a well-known actor, died here today.

Reported Discovery of a Perfect Trilobite in Canada.

From the Ottawa Free Press, April 12.

Among the curious fossils found in the more ancient rocks, hardly any has been more interesting than the trilobite, so called from the body exhibiting three distinct lobes. Until recently only the body of this curious fossil animal has been discovered, and naturalists were left to guess what manner of locomotion the animal had. It has been left to Canada and to Ottawa even to supply a perfect specimen, exhibiting the legs of the trilobite, belonging to that species known as *Isoptlus platycephalus*. This specimen was discovered in the Trenton limestone at Ottawa, and is in every way unique. The legs are described by Mr. BILLINGS, the distinguished Canadian Paleontologist, and described by him, thus completing our knowledge of an animal now extinct, but which used to abound on the surface of our globe, when the conditions of life were very different from what they are at present. The possession of this unique specimen of trilobite gives a peculiar value and importance to the Museum of the Geological Survey of Canada.

Appointments by the Mayor of Long Island City.

The Mayor of Long Island City made the following appointments last evening under the new city charter:

Commissioner of Public Works—Geo. H. Williams, of Ravenswood.

Water Board—J. C. Jackson, James R. Worth, and, *ex-officio*, the Mayor, Recorder and Commissioner of Public Works.

Police Commissioners—R. Gallatin Stevens, of Astoria; John Bodine, of Ravenswood, and Joseph McLaughlin, of Hunter's Point.

Captain of Police—Henry Rudolph, of Hunter's Point.

Board of Excise Commissioners—John R. Morris, Daniel O'Kalahan, one vacancy.

Corporation Attorney—Sol. B. Noble, of Ravenswood.

Board of Assessors—Edwin Mills, of Astoria; John Quinn and William McGowan, of Hunter's Point.

Fire Commissioner—J. R. Laws.

Board of Education—Geo. Petry, First Ward; J. E. Allen, Second Ward; J. L. B. Sanford, Third Ward; John Fahnestock, Fourth Ward; Joshua Lathrop, Fifth Ward.

THE COAL TROUBLES.

The Miners Willing to Settle the Difficulty.

Working Miners Threatened by the Unionists—A Mass-Meeting in the Delaware and Lackawanna District—Resumption in the Hill & Fellows Mine.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, April 21.—A mass-meeting of miners was held this afternoon in all the districts of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company. The miners at each meeting almost unanimously declared themselves in favor of resumption. New delegates, the former delegates having previously resigned, were elected and instructed to meet the representatives of the Delaware,

NEW MAGAZINES.

The magazines, as usual, anticipate their dates—a practice which, both with them and other publications, is of questionable advantage. If the proper day of issue is forestalled by two weeks, there is no particular reason why, in time, it should not be by six. A May magazine of the class that takes note of current events ought, one might suppose, to furnish some record of them at least up to the 20th or 25th of April. All things are done, this is, of course, impossible. The existing practice arises from the mania for things "fresh," no doubt; but it results, so far as news is concerned, in merely giving a new-looking outside to things stale. When substance, in good time, comes to be preferred to shadow, this objectionable custom will, perhaps, be abandoned.

—An expedition to the Valley of the Yellowstone supplies a topic for the opening article in *Scribner's*. The cataracts and precipices, and boiling springs, pertaining to that region, and of late made familiar to us by the reports of explorers, are here graphically described. Those who have not yet heard of the wonders of the Yellowstone, wonders surpassing almost everything else that is wild and phenomenal in our Central Continent, will read this paper with interest and pleasure. Further "Reminiscences of Charlotte Brontë" throw additional light on a quiet and uneventful life, which, perhaps in a measure because it was so quiet, seems to fill the public mind with unappeasable curiosity. In "The Moabite Stone" a description is given of that strange relic, nine hundred years older than the Christian era, and only now, after almost countless ages, surrendering to us its contribution to the history of the wars of the Jews. The "Aye-Aye" is a peculiarly trigitral and scientifically interesting little animal, which dwells on the east coast of Madagascar, looks unpleasantly human, and is provided with an extraordinary apparatus for the capture and consumption of grubs. After the paper devoted to him, another pertaining to a series follows descriptive of "Living American Artists." Accounts are herein offered of Messrs. HUNTINGTON and DURAND. These are agreeably and kindly written, but are open to the usual objection that attaches to imperfect biographies and estimates of living persons. A new story by Mrs. OLIPHANT, called "Norah," next presents itself through its opening nine chapters, and will be welcomed by many admirers of one of the ablest living female novelists. Mr. E. H. NORTON contributes some reflections, recommended by personal observation and experience, on "Our Labor System and the Chinese." "Unfledged" is only felicitous in the choice of a title. "Bon, a Story for May Day," is bright and well written. The ensuing verses, "What the Devil said to the Young Man," are very bad. New chapters of GEORGE MACDONALD'S "Wilfred Cumbermere," and the editor's "Topics of the Time," conclude the number.

—*Lippincott's* comes to us full of good things. The policy of giving completed stories is adhered to in some instances, and with excellent effect. It is exceedingly difficult to get really clever tales that are quite up to the mark for a magazine of this class, and to succeed is to deserve much credit. "Job and the Bug," the opening narrative, paints certain features of Washington society during the late war. Mr. PRENTICE MULFORD is the successor of Mr. BRET HARTE as editor of the *Overland Monthly*, and he has written for *Lippincott's* this month a neat and diverting sketch of mining life in California. Sir CHARLES YOUNG is an English Baronet, and he has entered the walks of fiction in "The Murder Stone," the first chapters of which are printed in the number before us, while the rest is promised for June. "A daughter of Pawnee Kenneth," Mrs. WISSER, contributes a well-arranged paper on the curiosities and current sights of Berne; and Dr. A. C. DUTTENHAFER, whose long experience in Russia should qualify him in one respect for the task, gives an account of Russia's best and most famous novelist. Those who read "Mon-Mon" last month will welcome Dr. DELEMAN'S little biography with much pleasure. Mr. CHARLES MORRIS furnishes some interesting facts relative to "Ancient Monuments of America," and a graphic picture of Berlin from an anonymous hand would do credit to an experienced writer. Besides these leading prose features the new *Lippincott's* contains some acceptable poetry, and its miscellaneous departments are sprightly, discreet and agreeably diversified in theme and treatment.

—The May *Harper's* begins with a long account of a Virginian plantation. The "Westover Estate" is one of those homesteads the age of which, in a new country, seems great, and which consequently to many possess a certain interest. "Disillusion" is a pretty and pathetic rendering of a somewhat morbid fancy. Mont Blanc is the "Monarch of Mountains;" and a very good description is given of that much-sung peak, which seems to draw people toward it with a resistless fascination, and which has been so grimly associated of late with useless calamities. "Along the Florida Reef" is as pleasant and chatty as its predecessors. A short account of that unwritten drama which delights so many European audiences follows, and those who would learn something of the famous "Punch and Judy" may here be gratified. The version of the text given is that commonly spoken in England, and this is enlivened by some absurdly correct illustrations. "A Song in Gold" is one of the fantasies dear to the German mind, and "Archie Hutchington" is an appreciative sketch of one of those devout old persons—usually celebrated in tracts and Sunday magazines—who add weight to their wisdom, and impressiveness to their convictions, by bad grammar. The story called "The American Baron" is continued; some allegorical poetry is furnished in "The Three Ships," and "Frederick the Great" is at last brought to a comfortable conclusion. An installment of serial fiction is next printed in the chapters of "Anne Furness," and still another in more of Mr. LAWRENCE'S "Anteros." "Religious Relics in London" consists of pleasant reminiscences of special religious ceremonies witnessed by the writer in that city. A very feeble little tale is "The Nobler Love," and totally without interest of character or situation. "Deadheaded," on the other hand, is quite vigorous and sprightly, so that we regret its close, and would gladly travel further in such company. The editorial miscellanies at the end are put together with the grace and tact which are looked for in *Harper's* as a matter of course, and finish very worthily a number of more than average quality.

—The May *Galaxy* shows no lack of its usual variety. The contents are distributed under eighteen headings, and the matter is for the most part readable and cleverly arranged. Mr. MCCARTY'S "Lady Judith" leads off with three fresh chapters that maintain the standard of care and thought achieved by its predecessors. "The Campaigns of Robert E. Lee" appears to be the first of an intended series. It does not seem to contain anything very new or original, or to be characterized, in default of that merit, by any especial graces of style; and hence we see no particular reason for printing it. This, however, may become apparent hereafter. Mr. CRAPSEY has next another "Nether Side of New-York" paper. The subject this time is "The Circular Swindle," and the article may serve to many as a useful warning. Mr. BAYARD TAYLOR furnishes some graceful and melodious verses in "Cupido." "Overland," whose merits we have commended before, is well kept up in three clever chapters. "The Duke of Cambridge" is one of those able, compact, and sometimes slightly opinionated and self-sufficient essays, of which the writer has already printed several in the same columns. "A Night in the Wilderness" is wierd and exciting. "Ought We to Visit Her?" is continued in several chapters, and with undiminished interest. "Drift-wood" is entirely confined to the discussion of European politics. The Scientific Miscellany has diversity and value, and the new feature, "The Galaxy Club-Room," will, we dare say, find many admirers. Of its quality, some idea may be formed from an appended extract. It is imputed to a philosopher who is described as the "erudite Sarsfield Young," and is, we presume, designed as a skit upon certain hygienic reformers:

"I cannot lay down any special rules as to what you had better eat. Breadstuffs are bad. Never eat bread. The process by which the yeast plant reaches maturity renders it very deleterious to the health. Never eat hot cakes—nor cold ones. Corn bread is fatal. Take to the wheat in grain; carry some in your pockets, and chew the food nature designed for you. If your teeth are bad, or you have none, soak the wheat in castor-oil. Acorns are good for people who travel. What I object to in farinaceous preparations is, that they require something of the sort. Eat soup. Never take four plates of soup. Besides being vulgar, it undermines the constitution. For breakfast, I should say hash and eggs fried; or, if fried eggs don't agree with you, drop them. Don't marry pork and beans. Remember that Rome was not built in a day. Don't be afraid of fattening away time at breakfast. Eat them with sugar or syrup. For dinner, you want something substantial—pork, for example. If you choose pork, stick to it right through the year; many a man has built himself up in the pork-packing business. And then, abrupt changes are dangerous.

"For tea, something very light should be taken, such as a couple of quails, cucumbers and tea-cream, or cold mince pie, pickles and hard cider. Then for lunch, (which is to be eaten, of course, immediately before going to bed,) we have always found plenty of sauer kraut, Welsh rabbit, pickled walnuts, celeratus Biscuit hot, with London porter and green tea, very agreeable and soothing."

—The *Catholic Record* is a new venture in the field which the *Catholic World* has so long and so ably monopolized. Like that magazine, it is partly original and partly eclectic in its contents, but differs from it in aiming apparently to offer to its readers a lighter and more varied entertainment. With less theology and power than its predecessor, its first number still contains a considerable amount of enjoyable reading, and will, doubtless, attract its own circle of admirers. The selected articles are taken from *Blackwood*, the *Cornhill*, the *Month*, *All the Year Round*, *Cassell's* and *Chambers's* and the rest show judicious editing. The original papers in the present number are two, both on religious and abstract topics. This department of the magazine will doubtless receive more attention as its success becomes assured. The poetry is not particularly good, a selected piece from the *Month* being the best. The *Catholic Record* is neatly printed by a Philadelphia house at the low price of $2 50 a year, and ought to command remunerative support from those at least of its own religious tenets.

—Nothing of very striking excellence appears in the May *Atlantic*, although several of the articles will attract notice. That on DISRAELI, imputed to Mr. F. A. DONIVAGE, furnishes a good and desirable account of a man about whose career many are just now asking particulars; and Mr. FIELDS' fifth "Whispering Gallery" paper, which gives a description of HAWTHORNE'S last days and of his death, will be read with deep and tender interest. The dismal presentiment that many authors have felt, in similar circumstances, before him, was never more directly and unmistakably expressed than by HAWTHORNE in a letter to Mr. FIELDS, written Jan. 25, 1864. HAWTHORNE died, it will be remembered, on the 19th of May following, and the unfinished tale left by him was *The Dolliver Romance*. We transcribe the letter, as one having peculiar interest, alike because of its pathetic humor and because of its containing what were, we believe, the last observations concerning his literary work that HAWTHORNE ever wrote:

"I hardly know what to say to the public about this abortive romance, though I know pretty well what the case will be. I shall never finish it. Yet it is not quite pleasant for an author to announce himself, or to be announced, as finally broken down as to his literary faculty. It is a play that lies on me that I had always a presentiment that it would fail us at the pinch. Say to the public what you think best, and as little as possible; for example: 'We regret that Mr. HAWTHORNE'S romance, announced for this magazine some months ago, still lies upon the author's writing-table, he having been interrupted in his labor, since it by an unsatisfactory state of health;' or, 'We are sorry to hear (but know not whether the public will share our grief,) that Mr. HAWTHORNE is out of health and is therefore prevented, for the present, from proceeding with another of his promised (or threatened) romances, intended for this magazine;' or, 'Mr. HAWTHORNE'S brain is addled as hash,' and, much to our satisfaction, he tells us that he cannot possibly go on with the romance announced on the cover of the January magazine. We consider him finally shelved, and shall take early occasion to bury him under a heavy article, carefully summing up his merits (such as they were) and his demerits, what few of them can be touched upon in our limited space'; or, 'We shall commence the publication of Mr. HAWTHORNE'S romance as soon as that gentleman chooses to forward it.' We are quite at a loss to account for this delay in the fulfillment of his contract—especially as he has already been most liberally paid for the first number.' Say anything you like, in short, though I really don't believe that the public will care what you say, or whether you say anything. If you choose, you may publish the first chapter as an inquisitive fragment, and charge me with the overpayment. I cannot finish it unless a great change comes over me; and if I make too great an effort to do so, it will be my death; not that I should care much for that, if I could fight the battle through and win it, thus ending a life of much groundless and scanty fire in a blaze of glory. But I should smother myself in mud of my own making. I mean to come to Boston soon, not for a week, but for a single day, and then I can talk about my sanitary prospects more freely than I choose to write. I am not low-spirited, nor fanciful, nor freakish, but look what seem to be realities in the faces, and am ready to take whatever aspect they present. I could but go to England now, I think that the sea voyage and the 'Old Home' might set me all right."

This letter is for your own eye, and I wish especially that no echo of it may come back in your notes to me."

Other noteworthy contributions to the *Atlantic* are Mr. JOHN FISKE'S, called "The Descent of Fire," three little verses "Vox Populi," by Prof. LONGFELLOW; "The Capture of Fort Fisher"—evidently written in the interest of the military reputation of Gen. BUTLER—and a paper by CLARENCE KING on the "Sierra Nevada." These, with continuations of current serials, make up the list of the *Atlantic's* May attractions.

—The *Methodist Quarterly Review* for April has various articles of well-weighed and scholarly character. The essay by Rev. Mr. PRENTISS on DE PRESSENSÉ deserves both encomiums. It is, moreover, judicious, and, as a piece of polemical composition, uncommonly readable. The paper called "Wesley and Methodism" is a translation, the original being the work of C. DE REMUSAT. "Spectrum Analysis," while rather recondite for the general reader, is intrinsically valuable, and, in its bearing upon solar phenomena, not without timely interest. It is by Prof. RUSH EMORY. Other subjects dealt with are "Ezekiel's Vision," by Rev. M. S. TERRY, the "Topography of Ephesus," by Prof. J. S. JEWELL, and "The Modern Theology of Holland," by Dr. J. T. HURST, of Germany. Additional features to this review are supplied in a Synopsis of other Quarterlies, Foreign, Religious and Literary Intelligence, and a long list of Book Notices, some of which are decidedly well written.

—Among magazines deserving perusal, the *American Naturalist* should have mention as a creditable effort in a useful field. Some of the articles in this work have had singular merit, and nearly all are exceedingly accurate and laborious. The contents of the April number, now at hand, are in part, "The Spring Flowers of Colorado," "Prairie Fires," "Something About Seeds," "The London Fogs," "The Game Falcons of New-England," "A Hearth of the Polished Stone Age" and "Bristle-Tails and Spring-Tails." The engravings and letter-press of the *American Naturalist* are exceedingly good, and the publication is altogether an excellent one. Experts and students in natural science cannot do better than subscribe to a magazine which is often full of instruction, and is always faithfully and judiciously conducted.

—The *Catholic World* affords its readers a customary supply of original and selected matter. It sets out with "The Church Accredits Herself." This is an eloquent defense of the pretensions of the Roman Church, and a sanguine estimate of her future prospects. The general drift of the article may be inferred from its final paragraph, which runs as follows:

"Believing the Church to be what she affirms herself to be; believing the Roman Pontiff to be the successor of Peter, the Vicar of Christ on earth, the father and teacher of Christendom; we feel sure that the storm that will not survive the persecution which now rages against her, and that the Pope will not see his enemies prostrate at his feet. Through all history, we have seen that the successors of her enemies have been short-lived, and the terrible lesson they have considered, have been ours, not hers. It will always be the Kings, emperors, potentates and empires that destroy themselves by opposing her, but that they cannot harm. See we not how the wrongs done to the Holy Father by Italian robbers, obeying the dictates of the secret societies, some of which, like the *Medici Nature*, date almost from apostolic times, are quickening the faith and fervor of Catholics throughout the world? Not for his hurt, but for his good, does God so stretch in the love and devotion of his faithful children as to-day. Never is the Church stronger or nearer a victory than when abandoned by all the powers of this world, and thrown back on the support of her Divine Spouse alone."

Another notable contribution to the *Catholic World* is "Statistics of Protestantism in the United States"—the most important conclusion of which is embodied in the statement that, with an increase of population and a relative decrease of church membership corresponding to those of years immediately passed, "the population in 1900 will reach 60,734,945, of whom 48,940,419 will not be members of any Protestant church." This hardly agrees with the celebrated and repeatedly-verified predictions of ELEANAR WATSON, made in 1815, and which estimated our population in 1870 at 42,000,000, and in 1890 at 100,000,000, in round numbers. "A Word to the *Independent*" and "The Lord Chancellors of Ireland" are other articles in the *Catholic World* that will attract attention.

CUBAN MAIL NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE HAVANA STEAM-SHIP MISSOURI.

The steam-ship *Missouri*, which left Havana on April 15, reached this port yesterday. By the courtesy of the purser, our special correspondence was promptly at hand. We print from this letter the facts in the case of the ex-Bishop of Havana, already referred to briefly by the telegraph. "Quasimodo" says: The week just closing has been one of unusual animation. It appeared as if we would have a repetition of the lively times of two years ago, when everybody made his will in the morning, because it was uncertain whether a Cuban dagger or a Spanish bullet would not deprive him of the privilege of preparing such an important document at night. But this time it was not a political affair, and was not confined to the Spaniards or Cubans only. Both united in resisting strenuously and under threats of riot the landing of the notorious Catholic Bishop of Havana, FRAY JACINTO MARTINEZ, alias the Padre Sopimpa, a convicted assassin, robber, perjurer, thief, and a man accused even of rape, if one-fourth of the stories told about him by the people and clergy is true. Much of this is undoubtedly exaggerated, but the following assurances are trustworthy: He appropriated to his own use $70,000, which he held in keeping for the building of a seminary, this amount having been collected by voluntary contributions; he also took other funds which were intrusted to his care; he frequented low places, where he was in the habit of dancing an obscene and vulgar dance with colored women, called the *Sopimpa* dance; from this he derives his cognomen; he insulted and maltreated the parish priest of Guanabacoa in such a manner that the priest became deranged and committed suicide. In fine, his general behavior has been such as to turn everybody against him, and your correspondent has never yet heard anybody speak of him except in the most contemptuous manner. The Bishop's career was so shamelessly bad that Gen. LERSUNDI was compelled to send him out of the island. While he was only a priest he was banished first from Venezuela in company with two others; later he was banished as parish priest of Matanzas, and then went to Rome, whence he returned as Bishop of this diocese. His first act on his return was to prosecute the parish priest of Monserrate Church out of revenge because the latter person was one of the examiners who had voted against conferring on him the degree of Doctor of Theology, because he was so ignorant of the laws and canons of the Church, that another priest, now dead, remarked: "Young man, tell the priest your master, that we are too busy to examine his book." Telegrams arrived last week announcing the Bishop's arrival at New-York, and his intention to come here. The Captain-General ordered the Spanish Consul in New-York not to give him a passport, but the Bishop nevertheless embarked, and, as a matter of course, was not allowed to land, the fact of his coming without a passport being taken as a pretext, in order to avoid the riot, which his landing would have produced. On the morning of his arrival placards were found posted about the streets of which I translate only one:

SPANIARDS OF HAVANA: The Padre Sopimpa, that chief, murderer and perjurer, who calls himself the Bishop of Havana, will arrive this morning. If one spark of honor and the slightest respect for your wives and daughters remains in your breasts, you will not allow this outcast of humanity to land. Away, away!

MANY SPANIARDS.

The others were of a similar tenor. When the *Missouri* entered the port, the Adjutant of Carbo, the acting Captain-General, went on board with orders from VALMASEDA. Your correspondent was already on board when the Adjutant arrived. When the Adjutant saw the Bishop he knelt down like a dutiful son of the Church, and kissed the Bishop's hand, after which the following conversation took place:

ADJUTANT—Excellent and illustrious Señor, I am the Adjutant of the Captain-General, and have come to bring you these orders in writing.

BISHOP—Do you know what they contain?

ADJUTANT—Yes, most excellent and illustrious Señor, that you will not be allowed to land, and that, if you wish it, I am to take you on board of the iron-clad *Zaragoza* in the Admiral's barge, where you will be treated with all the considerations due to your high and illustrious rank.

BISHOP—If I am not allowed to land I prefer to remain on board here, but I cannot understand why I should be prevented from landing. I came directly from Rome with orders from my only master and Government, His Holiness the Pope, and I do not know where else to go. My house and home is in Havana; I have a right to occupy it, and, besides, the Pope commands it. I cannot travel about, as I have no money; I am poor, and live altogether on charity.

ADJUTANT—Very illustrious Señor: I know nothing of this, and can only report to the General what you have said. Do you wish to put it in writing?

BISHOP—No; a verbal message is sufficient. Take about my blessing, my son, and go with God.

The Adjutant then again fell on his knees, and kissed the Bishop's hand, making a very wry face during the ceremony. He ran down the ladder as if Satan, instead of a fat Bishop, had been after him. On Friday the Colonels of the volunteer battalions held a meeting at the Palace on the advisability of allowing the Bishop to land, but all were against it, knowing that it would produce a riot. The Bishop leaves again in the *Missouri*, and it is reported that he will remain at Nassau, although it is more likely that he will proceed to New-York.

THROUGH THE SOUTH.

Savannah—A City of Parks—Prosperity of the Place—Drives—Results of a Thunderbolt—Bonaventura Cemetery—Central Georgia—A Colored Judge—The German Jubilee.

From Our Special Correspondent.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Monday, April 10, 1871.

During the past week I have been wandering around pretty extensively in North-western and Central Georgia, extending my trip into Alabama as far as Montgomery and the Canebrake section. With reference to the latter portion of my trip I shall have more to say hereafter. So far as Georgia is concerned, I have found quiet and good order prevailing everywhere. The general poverty undoubtedly contributes to this result, but much is due, also, to the feeling among the people that, having fought to the best of their ability in behalf of their principles, and having been conquered and impoverished, they intend to submit peacefully to the new order of things, and to devote their best energies to their efforts to obtain a livelihood. For the question is no longer how to make a fortune but how to get a living. And of the difficulties encountered in solving this latter problem few in the North have any idea. I do not dispute the justice of the retribution which has fallen upon the people of the South, but I do believe that no person can look upon the South as she is to-day without a feeling of sorrow. Men who formerly owned broad acres and ranked among the richest in the land, are now glad to accept whatever they can earn to provide them with food and shelter. Northern capital, Northern energy, Northern industry, and Northern ingenuity will be welcomed anywhere. True, the belief in the principles which, carried out to their logical results, led them into war, is as strong to-day as ever, perhaps stronger. But it is perfectly quiescent, nor is it ever intruded upon you or made in any way offensive. As for the Ku-klux bugbear, if it will only keep away those who seek the South but to benefit themselves and who desire the prosperity of the South or any other section of the country only so far as that section is represented by themselves,—if it succeed in keeping away adventurers of any kind, it will not have been unproductive of good. As to the existence of any such organization, as it is represented to exist, in this section at least, I do not believe it. Certainly, although I have visited those portions of the State where it is said to be most rampant, I have never seen the first symptoms of its existence. Nor have I met a single individual from the North or South that had seen or heard of it. Give the Southern States strong and effective Governments, administered by intelligent men who can understand the wants of the people, and that is all they ask to become again a prosperous section of the United States. And in judging of the condition of affairs here, and in seeking to understand them before administering the remedy, give the South credit for possessing human nature.

SAVANNAH.

Making but a short stay at Columbus and Macon, at which latter place I had the pleasure of meeting your able correspondent, Mr. W. M. BROWNE, ("Quondam,") and, enjoying his hospitality, I hurried on to this beautiful and flourishing City of Savannah. Situated as it is some eighteen miles from the sea, and on a plateau about forty feet above low water mark, Savannah is a cooler place than most of the Southern cities. It is truly a "City of Parks," and you can hardly drive two squares in any direction without meeting a park of some sort. In the cool of the evening, or, in fact, at almost any time during the day, these little resorts are filled with children and their attendants, who make these places a sort of play-ground. All the streets are lined with shade-trees the flowering China-tree, Pride of India, and Magnolias, and by their width and unpaved condition, together with the large gardens and spacious houses on either side, give to the city a village-like air which the activity and vitality of the business portion hardly warrant. From the steps of the Exchange, on Bay-street, Gen. SHERMAN reviewed his army after their triumphant march through Georgia to the sea, Jan. 7, 1865. The city is filled with visitors, many of them slowly working their way northward from the warmer clime of Florida. Opposite the Screven House stands a plain monument, without inscription of any kind. In my ignorance, I supposed it to be the famous Pulaski Monument; but I was informed, on inquiry, that it was erected to the memory of Gen. GREENE. Asking further, why there was no inscription on the shaft to specify its object, I was answered that "the paint around it had been painted green, and that was thought sufficiently explicit." The Pulaski Monument, in Chippewa square, is an elegant structure, and covers the spot where PULASKI fell in 1779. The shaft is of pure marble, and the steps are plinths of granite. It is fifty-five feet high, surmounted by a statue of Liberty holding the national flag. The arms of Georgia are intertwined on the corners of the monument.

DRIVES ABOUT THE CITY.

There are many pleasant drives about the city, over hard shell-roads, and riding for miles under a canopy of Spanish moss pendent from the trees that line the road. All the roads are shady, and on many of them a dense, tangled mass of vines, branches, underbrush, trees and moss, obstructs the view on either side. It is not by any means a recreation to be despised, driving along behind a swift pair of trotters, over the hard road, just before sunset, when a mellow light gleams through the leaves and imparts rich tints to the luxurious foliage, watching the curious groups we pass. Here a band of Germans singing merrily their country's songs, and brimful of patriotism and—lager; then a group of negroes returning home or going to a "shout," or taking an evening stroll to visit their country friends; a saffron-colored Corydon and an ebony Phillis, wooing after the most approved pattern, and stepping one side respectfully to touch hats or drop us a courtesy as we whirl by. Then a "cracker" on his dilapidated steed, a class of individuals well sketched in *Major Jones' Chronicles of Pineville*.

BONAVENTURA AND THUNDERBOLT.

The great drive to out to Bonaventura Cemetery, three miles from the city, on the Warsaw River, and thence, a mile further, to Thunderbolt. Bonaventura Cemetery was originally a private estate belonging to the TELFAIR family, and their family tomb still stands on the grounds. Then, for many years, it was used as a cemetery, until it came to be considered too distant from the city, when it was abandoned. It is now again a cemetery, though its monuments do not attract any especial attention. The great attractions at Bonaventura—and they are unequaled in any other place that I have ever visited—are the grand forest avenues, lined with live oaks of immense size, "their dense leafage mingling overhead, and the huge lateral branches trailing with their own and the superadded weight of the heavy festoons of the pendent gray Spanish moss." Everywhere are noble avenues, lined with live-oaks, the bay, the magnolia, the orange, and palmetto, and a hundred different evergreen trees, shrubs and vines. It is something so entirely different to what is seen anywhere else, that the cemetery has won world-wide fame.

THUNDERBOLT.

A mile beyond the cemetery is Thunderbolt, a pleasant little resort on the bank of the river. When I first asked "What is Thunderbolt?" I was told that it was a place where you "could get something to drink." And so you can in any one of the row of pleasant cottages that line the road and first-rate oysters, too, "and all that sort of thing, you know." The origin of the place is veiled in obscurity, but tradition says that once a thunderbolt fell here, and on the spot where it fell a spring gushed forth, and has continued to "gush" until this day. Now, I do not desire to shake any one's belief in the infallibility of tradition, but I hunted every where for that spring, but without success, and I conclude that if it exists anywhere it is behind some one of the numerous bars. Just imagine Zeus irritated and launching his thunderbolt, from which spring whisky-springs innumerable, unquenchable! What could the good citizens have done to have had this thing inflicted upon them?

MATTERS MISCELLANEOUS.

The Germans have been celebrating their Peace Jubilee all day, beginning with a salute of 101 guns at an early hour in the morning.... Savannah has an excellent Police force, commanded by Gen. ANDERSON, formerly of the Confederate States Army, and every man has seen hard service. Their parade every evening is quite an attraction, owing to the perfection they have attained in their drill.... The colored Judge, SAMMONS by name, who is now making a circuit, must find the legal road a hard one. His legitimate profession is fiddling and banjo-playing, from the pursuit of which he was elevated to the Bar. No business is done in his Court, and on his circuit he finds the doors of the Court-house barred and locked. His knowledge of law being as limited as his chance to display it, he must rejoice in his sinecure, and we can only say of his appointment what Richelieu says of his successor *Barradas*, "A most ingenious choice."

H. W. R.

PERSONAL, POLITICAL AND GENERAL.

Canada is expecting a large number of Italian immigrants this season.

Star-gazers can now see on pleasant evenings five great planets.

Ice is sold in Worcester, Mass., for twenty-seven cents per hundred pounds.

The Boston *Post* speaks of something as "respondent in black-walnut." Evidently a *lusus a non lucendo*.

A citizen of Montreal is under arrest for refusing to tell a census enumerator the ages of his two unmarried daughters.

"Hempeck" is the name of a Post-office in Alexander County, Illinois. It does a small business; the mails avoid it.

An observant genius in Connecticut remarks that love may be blind, but he has always noticed that whenever a man proves to be very desperate, he is always told to "see father."

A negro was sentenced to be publicly whipped in Paducah, Ky., a few days ago, for stealing $2 from a countryman, and the sentence was promptly executed.

Southern papers announce the marriage, on Wednesday last, of Gen. FITZHUGH LEE and Miss ELLEN B. FOWLE, daughter of the late Gracmon D. FOWLE, of Alexandria, Va.

Next week the Committee of the new College Rowing Association is to visit Springfield, New-London and Fall River, and decide where the national regatta in July shall be held.

The grand regatta at Halifax, in which the Tyne crew, the St. John crew, and other noted oarsmen are to compete, is to take place on the 20th, 20th and 21st of August.

A Connecticut school-boy has written a composition on the horse, in which he says it is an animal having four legs, "one at each corner."

A man reached Augusta, Ga., on Monday last who said he had walked all the way from Nova Scotia; that he started a few days after Christmas without a cent in his pocket, and that he is going to Alabama to buy himself a farm!

Nearly complete official returns of the election for Justice of the Supreme Court in Wisconsin give the following result: LYON, Republican, 67,623; FULLING, Democrat, 55,496; Republican majority, 12,127.

The editor of a Vicksburg paper, in the course of a short article, calls the manager of a rival sheet an anonymous coward, a malignant cuttiff who stabs in the dark, a cowardly hound, a monkery, of a man, and a miserable wretch. This is quite mild; when this Vicksburg editor gets angry he talks with greater vehemence.

The advertisement of a Pennsylvania railroad, in December, 1822, read: "The engine, with a train of cars, will be run daily, commencing this day, when the weather is fair. When the weather is not fair, the horses will draw the cars. Passengers are requested to be punctual at the hours of starting."

The citizens of Buffalo were filled with horror on Thursday morning by the circulation of a false and cruel report, originated by some heartless miscreant, that the great railroad Suspension Bridge at Niagara Falls had given way, and that a passenger train, consisting of six coaches, had been precipitated into the abyss below.

A man who was at one time one of the ablest lawyers in Vermont, died in the Asylum at Brattleboro, on the 18th inst., from the effects of intemperance; or, as the resolutions adopted by his brethren of the Bar charitably put it: frailties of a generous nature, to which he finally surrendered, led at last to a clouded intellect, and his death within the friendly walls of the Brattleboro Asylum.

The Boston *Transcript* insists that "no lapse of time can rob Massachusetts of its double glory of furnishing the first martyr in two revolutions for 'liberty and the rights of mankind.'" Without wishing to detract at all from the Bay State's glory, may we be permitted to ask the *Transcript* how many of the members of the "Old Sixth," who were killed in Baltimore, were natives of Massachusetts?

The Manchester *Mirror* says that if no false returns are made, and no Tammany funds are expended in New-Hampshire, the Republicans will have six majority in the organization of the House of Representatives. But it admits that the Democrats are at work, and expresses its belief that they can have funds from Tammany not lavished on members of the New-York Legislature.

An old citizen of Morrisville, Vt., and his wife died very suddenly on the evening of the 4th inst., within ten minutes of each other. He was eighty-nine and she eighty-four years of age. A lady living with them left them for a few minutes, the wife lying on the bed and the husband sitting in a chair. When she returned the old lady was dead, and the husband, whom she hesitated to tell, conversed some, and before friends could be summoned, died without knowing that his wife had passed away. They had lived together sixty-four years.

A Syracuse gentleman tells a bit of a story about a friend, which amuses members of the Grand Army of the Republic. It involves a letter written by that friend to himself, wherein he says: "I have been for some years engaged in writing up a history of the DWIGHT family, and supposed I had about every DWIGHT in the land in it. But the other day I saw that POET DWIGHT, of Syracuse, of the Grand Army of the Republic, had sent out some notices of a military sort to the said army. I write to ask if you know of such a man living there. If so, what is his business? Is POET his whole Christian name?"

There was a curious scene in a Richmond Court on Wednesday. A man had been convicted of an attempt improperly to influence a trial, and the Judge, in passing sentence upon him, said: "I owe it to you and others—perhaps more so to you than any other—that I am sitting here a Virginia Judge. You elected me to administer the laws of the Commonwealth with an upright and impartial mind, and to keep pure the course of justice in Virginia. I know not how better I can justify your expectation and vindicate the wisdom of your choice, believing you to have offended against the laws of the State, than by imposing upon you the highest penalty of the law—a fine of $500 and the costs."

MONTGOMERY BLAIR, STEVENSON ARCHER, and THOMAS SWANN were among the speakers at a Democratic meeting in Baltimore on Tuesday evening, at which the tune of "Dixie" by the band was most loudly applauded. Mr. BLAIR declared that the country is fast drifting into despotism, and that the same causes that brought on the late civil war are again at work. He also said that the abolitionists, from being an insignificant handful, became a power in the land, and got control of the government, the war ensued, slavery disappeared, and "by means of the so-called reconstruction measures, the leader of the armies elected himself President of the United States." [We quote these remarkable assertions from the report of the speech in the Baltimore *Sun*, a Democratic paper.]

Massacre of a Crew by Fijians.

A letter from Sydney, New South Wales, under date of March 1, to the San Francisco *Alta*, gives the following remarkable story of the massacre of a vessel's crew by inhabitants of the Fiji Islands, of which mention has been made in our telegrams:

Again the *Marion Keesey* schooner has been the scene of a massacre. On the first occasion the Kanakas murdered every one belonging to this ill-fated vessel. Next was a loss of part of the crew, and now nine lives have been taken by those wildly-disposed children of nature, who form such a standing dish at missionary meetings. The *Marion Keesey* left Fiji in the beginning of December on a trading cruise among the Live Islands, commanded by Mr. RAE, one of her owners, Mr. DUNNE, chief officer, with a crew of fourteen, of whom three were whites and the remainder islanders. On Dec. 20 they arrived off Cherry Island, situated between Banks' Group and the New Hebrides. On the following day Mr. RAE, the four Rotuman boys, and one Sandwich man, went ashore in the long-boat. As Mr. RAE was getting over the side, the mate asked him if "he had not better take his revolver?" His reply was, "Oh, no, I have been here before; they all know me." As RAE left the schooner, two canoes, each carrying about a dozen men, put off from the shore, and subsequent events show that the massacre was premeditated and planned only too well. The Fijians came close on reaching the shore (quarter mile distant) RAE and the boat's crew went over the sandy hillocks into a scrub, and a number of natives ran down the bank again and pushed off the boat, some of them even going to the length of arm-pits in order to get her off; at the same time an attack was made on those on board by the natives who had come off in the canoes. The crew were totally unprepared. The mate was killed in the deck-house, and a white man named BILL had his head cut off by an axe, and also received a spear-wound in the left side. The steward got a loaded gun, and a Fijian and the surviving white man fired all together, but killed nobody. In and the effect of frightening the assailants who jumped overboard. The rest of the crew tried to weigh the anchor, but were not able, so slipped the cable; the long-boat was towed astern, and the natives on shore, Tui Mate, Mr. DUNNE, and the white man, BILL, were buried at sea the next day. The steward and a seaman named CHARLEY were the only two white men remaining, and the colored portion of the crew state that the former was badly wounded during the attack on the vessel. He stayed in the cabin for five days and on the morning of the 6th came on deck, patted the Fijian at the wheel on the back, saying, "Se vinaka kaiko," ("You're a good man.") He then walked forward and deliberately shot the steward dead with a revolver, which he fired through the window of the deck-house. Then he turned and fired at the man at the wheel, who fell dead. The latter immediately rushed at and bore him to the deck, calling on his countrymen for assistance. They took the revolver from RODNEY, who must have gone mad, and held a consultation as to what they should do, and came to the conclusion that he was beyond the hope of recovery, as the wounds on his head and different parts of his body were mortifying, and that as their own lives were in danger it would be best for them to save their own safety by throwing him overboard. They therefore consigned the unhappy wretch to a watery grave, and succeeded in bringing the vessel back to Lomi Lomi, and to the Fijian group.

Reported Death of a Miserly Clergyman by Starvation—A Singular Story.

From the Oswego Advertiser, April 20.

In November last there arrived in this city a reverend gentleman named D. H. ST. CROIX, who was in pursuit of an engagement to labor in the propagation of the gospel as City Missionary, in which capacity he appears to have acted in various other localities. He came hither from New-York City, and exhibited among other testimonials a letter from Rev. Dr. PARK, editor of the New-York *Observer*, and also a his license to preach from a Presbytery of this State. At the time of his arrival here, the Presbyterian Church of this city did not deem it advisable to institute a local mission, and the applicant concluded to take up his residence in Oswego, and remained here through the winter, living in a room in a small basement on West Seneca street in the vicinity of Eleventh or Twelfth street. The pious gentleman also seems to have had some knowledge of medicine, but being very retired in his habits, he did not solicit, and probably obtained little or no practice in that profession. In fact he was seldom seen abroad, except on the regular attendance of the Presbyterian Church at which he was noticed as a devout worshiper.

About a month since he was missed from the congregation, and some of the charitable members, making inquiry, ascertained that the old gentleman was ill. He did not go abroad again, and about a week since his illness became serious. On Monday last, it was evident that his end was near, and the old man expressed a desire to have a will drawn up. A lawyer was procured, but when the legal gentleman arrived he decided that the patient's mind was too much deranged to properly admit of such a proceeding, and the will was not executed. The old man died suddenly while he was sitting up in a chair the early evening of Sunday, days previous to his death, charitable members of the Presbyterian congregation, who ministered to his wants, when his deplorable condition was discovered, became convinced that his illness resulted solely from his penurious habits, in depriving himself of sufficient food to sustain life. What money was given to him he would devour an enormous quantity and exhibit the voracity of a half-starved beast of prey; but this astonishing fact was not ascertained until it was too late to avert the fatal result of privation. At one time, when a neighbor insisted that the starving man should partake of some nourishment, after long shaking he finally consented to expend four cents for a quarter of a pound of beef, to be made into soup. When the article was prepared he swallowed it almost at a single gulp. All that is known of his manner of life through the Winter, and the appearance of his habitation, indicated the character of an inveterate miser. When dead neither the utmost and economical old man of the necessity of any further expenditure of funds, an examination of his premises disclosed money and papers amounting to over $3,000.

It is understood that the deceased, who was apparently about sixty-five years of age, had two sons living, one in Wayne and the other in Broome county, and also one daughter, who was compelled to separate from him in consequence of his disinclination to afford the common necessaries of life. His funeral was held on Tuesday, and the remains were deposited

direction and authority of a law or Courts. And counsel for the claimants assert that this is extraordinary proviso, relating wholly to claimants personally and assuming and judicial proceedings in cases then pending in Court, was not germane to the general appropriation bill to which it was subsequently attached as a Senate amendment, (without even a reference to a committee,) and was passed shortly after the decision of this Court in the case of the United States vs. Padelford at the last term. And it is an incontestible fact that the proviso had no such direct reference to judicial action in cases then pending and to proceed for confiscation in Courts of such cases then instituted, as is manifestly overruling of the law just declared as the unanimous decision of this Court in the case of Padelford. And this legislation, if allowed to stand as a precedent hereafter, will put an end to all idea of the independence and authority of the Judiciary as a co-ordinate branch of the Government, and will make Congress the tribunal of last resort, even within the sphere of the judicial authority.

The Attorney-General contends that Congress has full power over the proceeds of confiscated and abandoned property, and over the question of its restoration, and it may provide in such legislation directly from the Treasury of Congress, or from any officer, commissioner, or board, including the Court of Claims, upon which it may see fit to confer such authority. And it is said that this is all that Congress has attempted to do in the legislation of last Summer. It merely enacts that no claim shall be received or paid by judgment of the Court of Claims. These persons are not thereby excluded from the privilege of an application for such proceeds direct to Congress, or to any other officer who may be authorized to act upon such applications. It is also maintained that instead of this legislation being less than authorized by a pardon, the law-making power may detach therefrom. The Legislature, in its authority over the rules of evidence, may prevent a person shot guilty of a disqualifying offense from being subsequently by a pardon dispensed to to give testimony (Greenleaf on Evidence, sec. 372 and note), with these views cited; and it may exclude from the exercise of that franchise all criminals, pardoned as well as unpardoned. If there be any limit to the above principle it must be found only in this, that those incidents which the common law, at the time of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States, deemed so inseparable from a pardon authorized by that Constitution. But this limitation will not avail against the unconstitutionality of the enactment of July 12, 1870, for the right to recover proceeds of confiscated property appeared in war was not an effect of a pardon in 1866, nor was any right to sue the United States in any Court created or enlarged by the Act of July 12, corresponding to this section to be beyond the power of Congress to take away or modify, it is to be noticed, is a mere statute right to sue in a statute court; both the tribunal and the right to sue thereon being alike unknown to the common law and to the Construction of the United States. The Attorney-General and the Solicitor-General also submitted briefs to the same argument; Bartley & Casey, T. D. Lincoln and Carlisle and McPherson for Klein, and Thomas J. Durant for Padgett, all of whom elaborate separate briefs.

The Court adjourned to May 1.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Before Judge Woodruff.

Champlain Bowers et al. vs. Nelson Chase et al.—The jury find a verdict for the defendants.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.—APRIL 21.

Before Judge Brady.

THE AFFAIRS OF THE BALTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

In re The Baltic Fire Insurance Company.—An application was made on behalf of a majority of the stockholders of the defunct Baltic Fire Insurance Company, to remove the receiver, Mr. Wm. H. Kip. The Company having got its reserved capital below the legal limit in August, 1866, the President was appointed receiver to wind up its affairs. The petitioners contention that he has been too long about it, and that, by neglecting to do certain things required by law, he has rendered himself liable in place of cancelling the policies he has pursued that liability; that he has failed to file quarterly accounts as required by statute, and has failed to make distribution of some $20,000 assets among the stockholders. It was urged, on behalf of the receiver, that the returns that were made under the order of the Court, and that it was the duty of the Court to protect the stockholders than would the cancelling of the policies. All the debts had been paid, except a small mortgage and the rent of the building from which the Company could not be released; and, generally, that the receiver had done the best he could for the stockholders, according to the best exercise of the discretion vested in him. On behalf of the stockholders it was urged that they wanted to be released from their responsibility as guarantors of some $1,000,000 of assets, and that the receiver, if he was suspended on behalf of the receiver, having been effected under order of the Court, did not create a responsibility against the stockholders. To this the stockholders reply that the order of the Court was unauthorized by the statute, and therefore operated to leave the responsibility resting on them. Judge BRADY took the papers and reserved his decision.

THE CONTRIBUTIONS BEER-GARDEN.

In the case of Albert Diers, owner of a beer-garden in the Bowery, who was fined by default for giving theatrical exhibitions without a license, Mr. T. C. Egan appeared, and moved to vacate the judgment. Mr. Diers was fined for a similar violation of the statute, but appealed from the decision to the General Term, still continuing his theatrical exhibitions with out license. It seems to be the purpose of Messrs. Crane and Fowler, representing the Society for the Reformation of Juvenile Delinquents, to pile up fines against the contumacious Diers in order, if unrelieved by the General Term or the Court of Appeals, he may succumb under their weight, and consents to lay aside the bockin and the meat, and confine his evening amusements to "bock" beer and praying bread.

Judge BRADY took the papers and reserved his decision.

T. C. Egan for motion; Mr. Robinson opposed.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM—APRIL 21.

Before Chief-Justice Ingraham and Judges Barnard and Cardozo.

DOES AN EMPLOYE'S INVENTIONS BELONG TO HIS EMPLOYER?

Henry Lawrence et al. vs. John Good.—This case involves an interesting question as to the right of an employe to the results of his intellectual labor as against the claim of his employer. About the month of December, last, the defendant, while employed on Jackson in the sugar factory of plaintiffs, invented certain new and useful improvements in machines for forming and converting "beans" into sirups. The defendants claimed a half interest in the invention, said to be worth $25,000, under an alleged agreement with defendant, the consideration being the furnishing of means by plaintiffs for perfecting the invention in practical operation. Suit was commenced in the Marine Court to compel him to execute the alleged assignment, or a half interest in the patent in conformity with the claimed agreement. The hearing was had before a referee, who decided that no agreement had been made, and gave judgment in favor of defendant. From this decision the appeal was taken to the General Term. On behalf of the appellants it was urged, on this appeal, that the evidence before the referee showed the existence of the alleged agreement; also, that without any such agreement the defendant being in the employ of plaintiffs, and this invention having been made by him while in their employ, and in the line of said employment, he could not, in equity, retain the title to said invention. The Court sustained the decision of the referee, holding that his decision as to the non-existence of an agreement to transfer was a question of fact with which they would not interfere. As to the legal points, the Court held that while plaintiffs had a legal right to the services of defendant in the line of defendant's employment, he had no legal right to the results of his intellectual labor outside his ordinary duties, and that this invention was clearly outside such duties.

Dennis McMahon for plaintiffs and appellants; Jacob A. Green for defendant and respondent.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—APRIL 21.

Before Judge Van Brunt and a Jury.

A REAL ESTATE LITIGATION.

Willis vs. Wasson.—This suit arises out of a seeming misunderstanding between the parties to it as to the bounds on which seven eighteen lots of ground on Eighth avenue, in the neighborhood of Fifty-second street, were surveyed from plaintiff to defendant in 1864. It was claimed by plaintiff that the property was sold to defendant for the consideration of $45,000; that defendant was to discharge certain mortgages on the property, and other sums of plaintiff assumed by him (defendant), amounting to $30,000; that defendant did discharge such mortgages and debts by the actual payment of cash to the amount of $20,000, the difference between the latter amount and the $50,000 having been discharged by the transfer of mortgages remaining liens on the property. Plaintiff therefore claims to recover the difference between the $20,000 paid by defendant on his account, and the purchase price, together with about $12,000, alleged to be due for services rendered by plaintiff during ten years of the time the property has been held by the defendant. Defendant's theory is that when the conveyance was made to him in 1864 he was responsible for debts of the plaintiff to a large amount, which he subsequently paid, and that plaintiff, being unable to carry the property any longer, and having paid down but about $1,500 on it, made an absolute conveyance. As to the claim for services, he contends that they were rendered by plaintiff in connection with the property, with a view to protect himself against his warranty of title contained in the deed to the defendant.

The jury had not agreed at the hour of adjournment, and the Judge ordered a sealed verdict.

Ex-Judge Fullerton for plaintiff; Mr. Rose for defendant.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART II.—APRIL 21.

Before Judge Sutherland and a Jury.

MALICIOUS PROSECUTION—SIX CENTS DAMAGES.

Wright vs. Doss.—In this case, which was to recover $10,000 damages for malicious prosecution, the defendant, a store-keeper, caused the arrest of plaintiff, hackman, on a charge of theft. The trial resulted in the jury finding a verdict in favor of plaintiff for the sum of six cents.

Dudley Field for plaintiff; Henry L. Clinton for defendant.

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2000 Tenn. 6s, old.....67 | 200 do.....b. 30 128⅛
21,000 Tenn. 6s, new.....67 | 600 do.....bet. cash 128⅛
2000 Va. 6s, old bds.....61⅛ | 200 do.....128⅛
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3,000 Va. 6s, old bds.....61⅜ | 200 Pittsburg.....bet. cash 91⅜
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Twenty-third-st., near Sixth-av.
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE CIVIL WAR IN FRANCE.

The situation at Paris has not definitely changed, the progress of the Government forces being slow. The attacks on Neuilly and Levallois were attended by desperate fighting from house to house. The Versaillists are erecting entrenchments on the left bank of the Seine and are concentrating at Puteaux and Courbevoie. Journals, whose suppression had been ordered by the Communal authorities, continue to publish, but the compositors are said to be engaged as rioting.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Señor CASTELLAR, the renowned Republican leader of Spain, raised a breeze in the Cortes on Thursday by denouncing the House of Savoy. He was called to order by several members on the Ministerial side.... In the British Commons, on Thursday night, further explanations of the Budget were made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer. On last night the Lords passed the Mutiny bill, and the Commons discussed the declaration of Paris of 1856 against privateering and establishing the principle that a neutral flag covers the enemy's goods.... Germany supports the claims of Alsatians against France.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, the bill granting $3,000,000 to aid the construction of the Adirondack and Midland Railroad, was passed. The State "Charity" bill was taken up, and Mr. TWEED moved that his amendment of the previous night reducing all the appropriations, be stricken out, which of course was done. An amendment was adopted reducing the appropriations twenty-five per cent. After a recess of an hour the Charity bill was again brought up, and a motion to strike out all appropriations to private or sectarian schools, was lost by a party vote. The Conference Committee's report on the Supply bill was concurred in, the amendment authorizing the Governor to appoint additional New Capitol Commissioners to those named being struck out. The Assembly Tax bill, authorizing five and five-eighths mills tax per $1 of valuation, was passed. The Senate took another recess till 8 P. M., and after passing the General Town Bounding bill, took a recess till 6¼ P. M. At the evening session the Charity bill was reported from the Conference Committee, and was agreed to. After formal resolutions of thanks to different officers, the Senate was adjourned *sine die*.

In the Assembly the General Appropriation bill was passed. The General Tax bill was also passed. A Conference Committee on the Charity bill was appointed. A resolution was adopted instructing the Attorney-General to submit an opinion as to the power to repeal the charter of the New-York Elevated Railway. The House took several recesses during the day, and at length took a recess till 8 P. M. At the evening session the resolution to appoint Commissioners to confer with Commissioners of other States, to prepare for the Centennial anniversary at Philadelphia, in 1876, was concurred in. The Charity bill was reported from the Conference Committee, and agreed to. It appropriates $780,000. The Speaker then addressed the House, and declared the Assembly adjourned without day.

GENERAL.

The Committee of Conference of the Pennsylvania Legislature, on the Apportionment bill at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, agreed upon a bill which gives the Senate to the Democrats in 1871, and thereafter to the Republicans, by one majority. The House will be Republican by six majority, according to Gov. GEARY's last vote.

The State Senate yesterday confirmed as Commissioners of Public Buildings in Buffalo, DENNIS BOWEN, A. P. LANING, JAMES M. SMITH, J. R. YOUNGS, ALLEN POTTER.

The Newfoundland Company's cable between Forteau Bauque and Ashpee Bay, Cape Breton Island, totally failed on the 19th inst. A steamer with repairing appliances will leave St. Johns, N. F., at once to re-establish the connection. Communication with Newfoundland via St. Pierre and Sydney is undisturbed.

Rev. WILLIAM BELL, A Universalist clergyman for over fifty years, died in Boston yesterday, aged seventy-one.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars, of Georgia, has just closed its seventh annual session at Macon, with the largest representation ever in attendance since its organization.

The crevasse in the Mississippi Levee at Bonnet Carré, La., is now 300 feet wide and sixty deep.

A San Francisco telegram says the trial of Mrs. FAIR is generally regarded as a farce, and the result as a foregone conclusion. It will probably close to-day.

A settlement near Camp Grant, Arizona, was attacked by Indians on the 13th inst., and four men killed and one wounded. The savages stole stock, ammunition and arms. The settlement although six years old, will probably be abandoned. Ration tickets have been found on the bodies of Indians killed in recent raids.

The case of Mrs. GIBSON, alias Patterson, was given to the jury at Hudson, N. Y., at 5 o'clock last evening, and after an absence of half an hour they returned with a verdict of "not guilty."

The subscriptions to the new loan, yesterday, amounted to $138,000.

"Personal Explanations."

It would be very desirable, in the interest of public decency, even if there be no regard in the Congressional mind for the tone and dignity of Congress, if something in the way of a general rule could be adopted to abate the growing nuisance of "personal explanations." The theory of "a personal explanation," under parliamentary rules, is that it is the means by which a member rectifies some misconception with regard to the manner in which he discharges or has discharged his duties as a legislator. When the "explanation" goes in any way beyond this, it is an abuse, and in some cases becomes an insult to Congress and the public. In practice, however, it is now rarely confined to this. There are often members of Congress, whose activity, combativeness, and other virtues and defects have involved them, during the whole of their private as well as public life, in a ceaseless round of scrapes and entanglements and difficulties, and made for them a host of enemies, more or less bitter, in various parts of the country. The consequence is that attacks of one sort or other are being constantly made on them, either in speeches, or articles, or letters, all over the wide expanse of the Union. Each of them has, for instance, probably two or three bitter enemies among the Washington correspondents of the newspapers, who "pay their respects" to him in their dispatches whenever they get a chance. He has, also, probably two or three Representatives or Senators who owe him no love, and who stick their knives into him whenever they get a chance. The result is that there is probably never a day in the course of the year when there is not at least one "charge" in circulation about him, in some quarter, and when he hears of it, instead of writing to the newspapers to contradict it, or suing the man who made it, in the Courts, or taking no notice of it at all, he asks the Congress of the United States to suspend the national business, and listen to him on this purely personal matter. This request is now given almost invariably, and almost as invariably is the liberty grossly and shamefully abused.

A personal explanation is, in practice, generally composed of three parts: 1. A flat denial of a certain accusation made by some person on paper. 2. A hearty bit of abuse of the person who made it, or is supposed to have made it, describing him for the most part as not only unworthy of notice, but as a liar, oftentimes a thief, and as only wanting a favorable opportunity to commit arson or murder. 3. A glowing account by the orator of himself, his cause, and of his claims on the public gratitude. Of course, the other party is pretty sure to have a friend or friends on the spot to take his part, and if so, there then follows a bout of mutual abuse, of which the personal explanation has, as the lawyers say, only "laid the foundation." In nine cases out of ten, the matters over which the row takes place in no way concern the House or Senate, and have no reference, direct or indirect, to the course of public business. In so far as they affect the private character of a member, they lie between him and his constituents, as it is well settled that anybody a constituency thinks good enough to represent it, is good enough, so far as his private character goes, to sit in a representative Assembly. It matters not whether a man has stolen, or committed murder, or embezzled before his election; if the constituency thinks these little slips do not disqualify him to speak for it, the Legislature has no right to object, and therefore all personal explanations "about matters not relating to legislative business, or about charges which, even if proved, would not cause a member to be censured or otherwise punished by the Legislature, are simply attempts to use the Legislature as a kind of bellman, or advertising van, to give greater publicity to what the orator says.

Gen. BUTLER is one of the men whose career has been of a kind which involves him in many controversies. Hardly any of them have any interest for the public. Moreover, he is, if not a quarrelsome, certainly a very combative man, and manages partly by his manner, and partly by what he says, to exasperate a great number of those with whom he comes in contact. He consequently is never without three or four rows on his hands, and he brings nearly every one of them before the House, and takes up its time with it to the obstruction of public business and the disgrace of the country. The House, which is very fond of amusement, and does not particularly like BUTLER, and enjoys seeing him baited, invariably allows the affair to go on as a species of low entertainment, like cock-fighting or rat-killing, and the result is that the last scrimmage, with which the session closed, perhaps surpassed anything we have had of late years, except the set-to between DONNELLY and WASHBURNE. It began by BUTLER's going into the Senate, and setting close under old GARRETT DAVIS' nose, and staring at him fixedly, with what we can well believe was a peculiar expression of his "glittering eye." Now, GARRETT DAVIS is not a model of behavior by any means, but this, so far from being a reason for provoking him, was a reason for avoiding him. Mr. BUTLER knew perfectly well that his relations with him were such, that if he went and sat down close in front of him and stared fixedly at him when he was speaking, he would regard it as personally offensive, and be enraged by it; and he knew, too, that if he had a quarrel with DAVIS, it would be a foul-mouthed and vituperative quarrel, and would cause a good deal of mud to fly, both in the Senate and House. Moreover, he had no occasion whatever to go into the Senate, or if he had, had no need to sit near DAVIS, or near anybody to whom he knew himself to be personally obnoxious. The result of his doing so was, that DAVIS came near assaulting him; and that BUTLER dragged the wretched quarrel into the House, and that when he got it there, two of his enemies in that region plunged delightedly into it; and forthwith we were treated once more to a rehash of the old charges about his peculations and frauds, and one honorable member offered to prove him guilty of perjury and embezzlement, while he declared the honorable member unworthy of belief on his oath, and the House passed half an hour of great enjoyment, roaring over the scene.

So long as the majority of the members take pleasure in this sort of exhibition, there is, we suppose, little chance of improvement, unless public opinion is brought to bear on the matter more strongly than at present. But, we do sincerely hope that members will yet be called to account by their constituents, not only for laughing, but for not rising to order when two disputants use the floor of the House and Senate to blackguard each other and settle their private differences.

Dr. Dollinger and the Pope.

The excommunication of Dr. DOLLINGER, which the cable announced the other day, may turn out to be the beginning of a great schism in the Roman Catholic Church. The veteran theologian of Munich has been the consistent opponent of the infallibility dogma from the very moment of its inception. He stands honorably distinguished among the great men who denounced the course of the majority at the late Council, by perseverng in his opposition after the dogma had been promulgated as an article of faith. He denied before the event, as he denies now, that the dogma has either a scriptural or an historical basis. He maintains that the passages of the New Testament on which Papal infallibility rests are otherwise interpreted by all the Fathers, and as his vow binds him to accept the Patristic interpretation of Scripture, it compels him to reject that accepted by the Council of the Vatican. He denies the statement that Papal infallibility existed from the beginning of the Church, and characterizes it as being in glaring contradiction to undoubted facts. He alleges that two Ecumenical Councils of the fifteenth century decided against the pretension to Papal infallibility, and that, moreover, the late decrees are antagonistic to the Constitutions of European States, and "specifically to the Bavarian Constitution, which he has sworn to observe." The solemn declaration of his reasons for refusing to submit to the new dogma was handed in to the Archbishop of Munich on March 28, and in addition to the points specified, contained the following statements. Thousands of both clergy and laity agree with him in holding the new articles of faith to be untenable. Even among those who have made a formal submission, nobody among his acquaintance believes the new doctrines save in some non-natural or evasive sense. The statement that the judgment-seat of God and of the Pope is one and the same originated among Latin populations, "and will never be able to make its way in German lands." The subjection of political order to Papal authority brought the old German Empire to destruction, and, "were it to become dominant in Catholic Germany now, would at once implant the seeds of a deadly malady in the new Empire just established."

There are two notable things about Dr. DOLLINGER's position. The first is that he bases his opposition to the new dogma, and its affiliated provisions, on grounds which lie strictly within the traditions and doctrines of the Romish Church. This will give his protest a significance and a power in that Church which it could not have otherwise possessed. The second is that while rejecting the new article of faith "as a Christian, a theologian, and an historical student," he dissents from it also as a citizen, and as a citizen, moreover, of the newly-created German Empire. This will do more than anything else to lend his arguments a vitality that will endure long after their author has passed away. Dr. DOLLINGER warns the Bishops of the Church against the degradation of their office, that is involved in making them merely the delegates of the Pope at Rome, who now arrogates "the entire plenitude of power" over every Catholic diocese in Christendom. So far, he indorses what has been known for centuries as the Gallican opposition to the usurpations of Rome. But when, in addition to this, he lays aside the ecclesiastic, and makes the duties of a patriot and a citizen vital arguments against the encroachments of a Jesuitical majority of his Church, he enunciates a doctrine that the Papacy must stamp out, or recognize as its own death-warrant. After its ancient manner, the Papacy has attempted to destroy this latest utterance of truth within the pale of the Church. Dr. DOLLINGER was allowed a fortnight by the ecclesiastical authorities at Munich to reconsider his decision regarding the new dogma. His sentence of excommunication has, doubtless, been preceded by a deposition from his offices of Provost of the Royal Chapter, and Professor of Ecclesiastical History. The most erudite of the contemporary theologians of the Roman Catholic Church has, thus, after fifty years of single-minded devotion to its service, been formally committed to everlasting perdition, because he refused to sacrifice either his intellect or his conscience at the bidding of some hundreds of Italian priests. A few triumphs like this would shatter the foundations of the Papacy more irretrievably than a new Reformation.

The Bleeding Girl of Hainault.

A new wonder has turned up in Belgium. But a little while ago we recorded the marvelous exploits of a fasting girl in Wales. Still later, national pride was gratified by the advent of a wondrous prophetess in Louisville. The young lady whose fame now resounds from Hainault, however, is a more astounding person than either. In fact, no more inexplicable case than this of LOUISA LATEAU's has probably ever been known. Her peculiar accomplishment is not to fast, or to prophesy, but to bleed. This she does in the most profuse and unprovoked manner, and every effort to find out how she does it has hitherto failed. The investigation has not been confined to the ignorant or superstitious. It is asserted that the ablest Flemish physicians have been baffled in their attempts to discover the cause of the young woman's sanguinary proceedings; and certainly the account of Dr. DAY, just published in *Macmillan's Magazine*, may well stagger the most incredulous.

The published history of LOUISE LATEAU offers the customary attestations of the purity and simplicity of her character. It is characteristic of these cases that public confidence is always bespoken, and doubt disarmed, by elaborate assurances of the rectitude and guilelessness of the new wonder. Hence we are not surprised at being told that for the first seventeen years of her life LOUISE was an uncommonly good little girl, and no one ever knew her to fib, filter, or even to dirt. In 1868, she having for a short time been out to service, she fell into ill health. For a month she seemed on the verge of the grave. At this juncture began her extraordinary performances. One Friday morning a slender rivulet of blood began to trickle from her left side. After a while it ceased, but on the next Friday blood oozed from the upper surface of her feet. On the third Friday it came simultaneously from side, feet, and hands. A few months after blood came also from her head; and now, by the latest accounts, "she presents every Friday—and on Fridays only—an awful sort of image of the bleeding form of Christ on the Cross." Cataleptic symptoms accompany this exhibition. The young woman goes at 8 o'clock in the morning into a species of trance. In this, she says she beholds in vision the scene of the Passion. Tears roll down her cheeks, but now and then she smiles in ecstacy. She is insensible to all outward sights or sounds, and remains unmoved by even very strong electric shocks. Until 5 in the day she remains in coma, blood appearing constantly as described. She then leaps up with a bound, falls into a cold sweat, has a rattle in her throat, and an imperceptible pulse, and seems on the point of death. Nevertheless, she recovers in about fifteen minutes, and then remains in her usual state until the following Friday.

When news began to spread of this strange affair, crowds of people naturally began to flock to witness it. The Roman Catholic clergy of the neighborhood, at once, we are assured, called in able physicians. One of these, Dr. LEFEBORE, has given great attention to the case, and has printed a monograph of it. This gentleman has been for two years at the head of the medical staff of two lunatic asylums, and is likewise a Professor in Louvain University. His report is examined at length by Dr. DAY, and the latter has received a note from Dr. LEFEBORE, stating that, as lately as the middle of January, the condition of LOUISE LATEAU remained unchanged. His experiments have been numerous and interesting. He scrutinized the places from which the blood exuded with a microscope, and found that on those places the epidermis is very thin, so that the true skin can be seen through it. When the bleeding is going to begin, a little bladder appears on the spots, filled with a transparent reddish fluid. A rent presently takes place in the cuticle, the serous fluid escapes, and the blood begins to ooze from the surface of the exposed *papillæ* within. The quantity of blood often amounts to nearly a quart. Pending its flow, the doctor repeatedly tickled LOUISE's nose with a feather, made her smell ammonia, pricked her with a needle, and passed a strong electro-magnetic current along her arm. All this the girl invariably bore without the least sign of uneasiness or even of feeling. Dr. LEFEBORE carefully wrapped her hands in strong, well-stitched leather gloves, drew them tightly at the wrists, sealed the strings, and then watched the result. This was, simply, that the gloves, when taken off, were filled with blood. In brief, this physician and others feel totally unable, however awkward may be any different assumption, to declare that the girl is consciously an impostor.

What, then, is the alternative? The doctors of the Roman Church, of course, have no difficulty in answering this question. The case of LOUISE LATEAU, in their view, is purely miraculous. It is a fresh instance of *stigmata*, to add to the seventy that have gone before, the veritable history of which lives in the annals of Rome. Those who cannot accept this facile hypothesis, and who are not constrained to believe that the reports of the doctors are, in every sense, absolutely trustworthy—so that no curious unforeseen elucidation shall be hit upon, as in so many apparently insoluble pathological problems before—will, no doubt, adopt the theory that the case of LOUISE LATEAU presents some novel or hitherto unanalyzed symptoms of hysteria, the explanation of which will not long be withheld from the world when experts apply themselves to the mystery who are best qualified to track and unfold it.

Figures from a Canadian Source.

The annual report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries of the Dominion of Canada contains a large amount of valuable information, and numerous carefully-prepared tables of statistics. The tables relative to the shipment of grain and flour by the Montreal Ocean Steam-ship Company and Allan lines are worthy the special attention of those interested in the inland commerce of this State. During the years 1869 and 1870, the Dominion Government spent large sums of money in erecting lighthouses, making careful soundings of and buoying out channels, and otherwise perfecting the navigation of the River and Gulf of St. Lawrence. Hon. P. MITCHELL, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, remarking in his report on the improvement of the navigation of the Straits of Belleisle, says: "As they are now very much used by the ocean mail steamers of Canada and other vessels anxious to shorten their passage between the St. Lawrence and Europe by one or two days, it has been considered by this Department and many persons interested in the commerce and navigation of Canada, to be of the greatest importance that this route should be made as safe and efficient as first-class lights and correct soundings can make it, with a view of carrying out the Canadian policy of making the St. Lawrence the great highway to the West, and of enabling our ocean steamers to compete successfully, both as regards speed and safety, with their powerful rivals running between European ports and ports of the Atlantic sea-board."

The authorities of Canada are not unmindful of the commercial benefits which will accrue to that Province by securing the carrying trade of the West. Last year, Mr. ALLAN, owner of a line of steam-ships running between Montreal and Great Britain, purchased a line of lake propellers, which he proposes running this season, in connection with his ocean lines. The tables accompanying the report of the Minister of Marine show that there were shipped for Europe by the Allan line, during the season of St. Lawrence navigation in 1870, 103,954 barrels of flour, and 2,874,380 bushels of grain. Mr. ALLAN now owns a line of propellers, which will collect freights for his ocean lines in all the grain ports of the lakes. In addition to the amount of flour and grain carried by the Allan lines in 1870, the Montreal Ocean Steam-ship Company carried 17,970 barrels of flour, and 739,880 bushels of grain, making a total of 121,924 barrels of flour and 3,614,260 bushels of grain carried by two lines yet in their infancy.

The St. Lawrence River is a dangerous rival of the Erie Canal. A large amount of trade is diverted by it now, and enterprising citizens, aided by the Government, are endeavoring to increase it, and thus make the river, according to the Minister of Marine, "the great highway to the West," and Montreal a port of distribution for the grain of the Western States bordering on the great lakes. This trade should properly come to the City of New-York. The grain of the West should be distributed here, not in a foreign port. The Erie Canal, which has become too small for the demands upon it, should be increased in capacity, and tolls decreased to the lowest point compatible with the requirements of the Constitution. If the revenues of the canal were honestly collected and disbursed, a large reduction in them would be possible, and a sufficient sum realized to meet the demands of the Constitution. But while the demands of the Constitution are opposed by those of the corruption fund of Tammany, there is no hope of substantial reform. The facts and figures contained in the report of the Canadian Minister of the Marine are a strong argument in favor of taking from Tammany the management of the canals.

The Control of the Suez Canal.

The collapse of the French Empire, and the financial embarrassments likely to be entailed upon the people for many years to come, will have the effect of depriving France of the controlling interest she has exercised in that great enterprise, the Suez Canal. After enjoying the world-wide credit of conceiving and executing this vast project, she has reached a point in her finances where further aid, cannot be furnished, and this must at once be sought in some other quarter. It is announced that pecuniary claims are pressing upon the enterprise which can only be met by the ordinary process of "winding up" and a reorganization of the Company.

Under these circumstances, the future ownership of this great work becomes an intricate international question, and promises to be a bone of contention between several of the great European nations. Movements are already in progress on the part of the several Powers to secure the control of this successful short cut to the East. Supplying, as it does, the long-desired link in the chain of communication between nations previously separated by a wide expanse of ocean or desert, its ownership, obviously, is a desideratum of the last importance to England, Russia, Austria and Turkey. The interest of the United States in the question will probably not occur to certain of the European Powers, to whom such proprietorship is clearly a matter of vital necessity. England, with her vast Indian possessions and colonial dependencies, as well as her traditional commercial supremacy in the East, will not be likely to let the sceptre pass from her hands without an obstinate attempt to forestall the catastrophe. Already some of her capitalists are awake to the importance of having the absolute control of the canal, and the Government will not be slow to realize the opening before the nation. The prestige and prospective profit of which France has had a brief chance to boast of, aroused a feeling on the part of England akin to jealousy, and now that the tables have been so completely turned upon the Empire, what could be more natural than the desire to improve the occasion to the utmost? The extremity of France thus becomes England's opportunity, and what the original owner cannot do, the financial condition of England may enable her to accomplish.

Russia, moreover, cannot be expected to remain an uninterested party, while a negotiation of this character is pending. If the ownership of the Suez Canal is so desirable to England, it must be all the more desirable, because even more necessary, to the Russian Empire. To the Czar, the control of this prospective gateway of universal commerce must seem to offer an occasion of political, military, and commercial power such as has never before been within the range of possibility. Austria and Turkey likewise must perceive the advantages of controlling in their respective interests this key to the East. Thus early, the Suez Canal has justified the sanguine predictions of its originator so far as its international value is concerned. That it has not proved to be a fortunate an investment for the holders of its shares is a drawback which time is likely to remedy. The present traffic realizes tolls to the amount of about two million dollars a year; but large outlays are still required, and constant repairs and the removal of obstructions impair the resources of the Company. Improvements, too, in the way of widening and deepening the canal, are called for, which will involve large expenditures. By the joint guarantee of the Powers of Europe, navigation is declared free to all; but we may well doubt the trustworthiness of this guarantee when the work has passed from the control of its original promoters and proprietors into the hands of some grasping and ambitious nation, whose interests lead in other and less liberal directions. It is upon this latter point that diplomacy may be expected to come in to complicate the peaceful transfer of the ownership. Meanwhile, the Company is, literally, in a strait, and whoever first supplies the help it needs is likely to get command of one of the grandest enterprises of the age.

MINOR TOPICS.

The Legislature of this State has adjourned, after a course of proceedings which is probably without a parallel in any community which boasts of living under "free institutions." Our Albany correspondent speaks of giving a history of the session as a "sickening task," and, in truth, it is one from which almost any man would shrink who is capable of realizing the humiliating state of subjection to which the people of the State have been reduced. From time to time we have protested against the incredible audacity of the corrupt Democracy, in introducing measure after measure for the express purpose of depriving the people of control over their own affairs, and placing every department of the Government at the absolute disposal of four men—TWEED, SWEENY, HALL, and CONNOLLY. This great City is now nothing more than an appanage of these persons; they have powers vested in them which LOUIS NAPOLEON never dared to exercise in France. Yet we shall probably still go on boasting that we enjoy more freedom, and a wiser government, than any other people in the world. It would be useless, this morning, to go over a catalogue of the infamous bills which TWEED and his Democratic friends have introduced and passed, for the purpose of suppressing popular liberties and filling their own pockets. We shall often have occasion to recur to them, and perhaps the best thing we can hope is that the knaves who have been allowed to treat New-York as they would an annexed province will drive the goods well into the necks of the public—as they are sure to do—for by that means only does there seem any chance of exciting indignation enough to bring about their overthrow.

Senator "MIKE" NORTON returned to this City last night, after his fatiguing labors as a statesman at Albany. His great mind needs rest, and now he can afford to take it. The worthy Senator was very appropriately escorted on the boat which conveyed him and his gigantic intellect to the City by the people with whom he chiefly consorts, and whose applause is, therefore, most grateful to him—in a word, by thieves and loafers. Considering the services which MIKE has rendered at Albany, it is wonderful that a deputation of our "leading citizens" was not sent out to meet him—including MAYNARD, SANDS (price $6,000 a year) and MOSES TAYLOR. Indeed, why should not the inhabitants of Fifth-avenue and streets adjacent thereto, have turned out in a body to greet this interesting example of the cultivated Democracy! These people submit to the degrading rule of the Ring, and seem to relish it—why, then, turn their backs on TWEED or his friends? However, the worthy MIKE got on very well with his pimps and thieves, and about 12 o'clock last night a great many "bombs" were let off in Sixth-avenue, and red fire was lit, probably by way of a sacrifice to the infernal deities, who are naturally supposed to take a special interest in the amusements of the Tweed gang. Everybody's pocket seems to have been picked but that of our dear MIKE himself, who doubtless took warning by the sad fate of Mr. SAMUEL TILDEN, at the Rochester Convention of "scalawags," and left his purse and watch on what MIKE and the RING call the "penny." It is only Democratic Judges who carry valuable property about them when they go into resorts of ill-fame.

Paris has entered on the final agony of the struggle between the party of the Commune and the party of the National Assembly. The peninsula formed by the loop of the Seine that lies between Vaelrien and Fort St. Denis seems to be in undisputed possession of the Versailles troops, and the insurgents, driven across to the right bank of the river at Neuilly, are fighting step by step of its interval between this and the Maillot Gate. The latter is reported to have become a heap of ruins from the continuous battering of the guns of Valerien. The Arch of Triumph—a little in advance of this—has been so battered that its proposed transference to the Central Park ought now to be effected at a great reduction. The generous "American Banker" may possibly value the monument less for its bas-reliefs than for its historical associations. In this case its present defacement will only be a fresh recommendation.

Mr. EDWARDS PIERREPONT, the latest enlisted counsel of JAY GOULD and FISK, Jr., in the proceedings before the United States Master in Equity, on Tuesday, made the following admissions: First, that the recent overissue of thirty thousand shares, which GOULD caused to be registered in substitution of thirty thousand shares of the English stock, on the pretext that the new stock was made out of convertible bonds, produced to the exhausted treasury of the Erie Company only seventy-five cents on the dollar; Secondly, that to justify this overissue, the Road, at the time of the overissue last Winter, was running behind in its traffic at the rate of five hundred thousand dollars per month, and was on the eve of bankruptcy. The first of these stories would seem startling, if the Erie stockholders had not become used to such villainous transactions. The last, except as impending bankruptcy, seems almost incredible, for if the Road ran behind half a million per month on its Winter traffic, it was never heard of before, and the case is without parallel at the time on the other trunk lines. But as Mr. EDWARDS PIERREPONT was no doubt instructed to make this statement, we shall not stop to question either his good faith or his candor, however much his personal and political friends may feel grieved at his acceptance of a retainer from JAY GOULD.

The Post-office boxes attached to the street lamp-posts are a great convenience, but the convenience of the public to their security would be greatly shaken if it were generally known that they could be readily opened by any one with a little ingenuity in the selection of keys. A small boy, one of a party of ordinary street urchins, was seen a few days ago to carefully try to open one of these boxes and succeeded on the fourth, using a key which apparently gave him no difficulty. This matter ought to be looked to, and facts provided which would effectually put a stop to a juvenile inspector of the mails.

Reports of the Winter wheat crop from the West and North-west contain good news for the consumer. The ground is well covered, the average is at least equal to former years, and the crop has suffered but little from the open Winter. There is, so far, every prospect of an abundant yield of excellent quality. Owing to the early Spring, the crop will be ready for market a fortnight sooner than is ordinary seasons. Even should the farmers demand be a little in excess of its normal limit, bread will be cheap. While the wheat-growers of the West are rejoicing over the prospect of an abundant crop, the tobacco-planters of Virginia are despondent. The crop has been much injured by the fly and in some sections almost destroyed. As this crop is the ready-money one of the planters, its failure is severely felt, and exercises a depressing influence on almost every industry in the State.

When "Boss" TWEED moved to reduce the appropriations in the Charity bill fifty per cent, every one was amazed, and though some of his supporters began to entertain doubts of his sanity, the doubt was not sufficiently strong to warrant a vote contrary to his wish. The obedient Senate voted for the reduction. The night, however, brought different counsels, and the "Boss" repented him of the evil. Yesterday he stated that on reflection he was satisfied that the reduction would embarrass many deserving institutions, and therefore moved to strike out the amendment. The slavish majority accordingly undid the work of yesterday. Mr. CHAPMAN, however, fearing an excessive vote, as the bill was so heavily loaded, moved a reduction of twenty-five per cent., and it was so ordered. This motion must have been a bit of pleasantry on the part of Mr. CHAPMAN. This is not the kind of bill which the "Ring" permit Gov. HOFFMAN to veto. It gives to Tammany a large corruption fund, and must, on all occasions, take precedence of expenditure for country highways and bridges across rivers.

AMUSEMENTS.

Musical.

PHILHARMONIC CONCERTS.

The first rehearsal for the sixth Philharmonic concert took place at the Academy of Music, yesterday. As a rehearsal it needs of course, no criticism. But we may mention that in consequence of the non-receipt of the score and orchestral parts of RAFF's new symphony, "Im Walde," the programme is absolutely devoid of novelty. Its composition is announced thus:

PART I.

Symphony, No. 5, in A minor, op. 88..... Mendelssohn
1. Introduction and Allegro. 2. Adagio Cantabile. 3. Allegretto Grazioso and Allegro Guerriero. 4. Finale Maestoso.
2. Ballad, "Jean Vivaux" ..... Meyerbeer
Song, "Dans ce Chateau" .....
With Orchestral Accompaniments.
Miss Louise Morrison Fleet.

PART II.

Overture, "Idomeneo," (first time) ..... Mozart.
Lenor Aria, "Don Giovanni" ..... Mozart.
Miss Louise Morrison Fleet.
Overture, "Oberon" ..... Weber.

MARK WERTHEIM'S CONCERTS.

A concert was given yesterday at the Union League Club Theatre in aid of the funds of the Hahnemann Hospital. The playing of Mr. RAFAEL VILARDI, who interpreted LISZT's transcription of the polonaise in "I Puritani" was the artistic feature of the affair, while MENDELSSOHN's execution of "Bel Raggio" was very creditable, and promising especially. The remainder of the performance was unevenly and de facto amateurish. Mr. RUDOLPH has assisted by a concert at the Arion Club-house last night. The artists assisting were Miss Ida Rosenberg, Miss Antonette Sawyer, Mr. E. R. Romaya, Mr. Paul von Inten, Mr. Charles Hamm, and Mr. Charles Werner, and the chorus of the Arion Society lent additional and efficient aid. The violin performance of Mr. CHARLES HAMM was particularly praiseworthy. If the delivery of an adagio of SPOHR is a fair sample of all of Mr. HAMM's work, we should be glad to hear him more frequently.

GERMAN OPERA.

"Le Postillon de Lonjumeau," by ADAM, was sung last evening at the Stadt Theatre, whereat operatic performances prosper in a degree most creditable to the frequenters of the house. The lighter works are produced to give the leading artists the repose they need after repeated representations of "Lohengrin," which colossal work is still attractive and will be sung again on Monday. The enterprise of the management, we are glad to see, is being well rewarded, and the latest announcement, to the effect that "Il Trovatore" is now being rehearsed, shows gratitude to the appreciative.

SATURDAY CONCERTS.

The usual popular concert occurs at Association Hall today. The artists are Mr. FRITSCH, Mr. FRANK BARTLETT, Miss GRAZIELLA RIDGWAY and Miss ADELAIDE MAZZOLENI.

Miscellaneous.

MR. CREBWICK IN BOSTON.

Mr. WM. CREBWICK begins an engagement at the Boston Theatre on Monday next. The week's repertory will consist of "Othello," "Julius Cæsar" and "Macbeth;" the period being celebrated, we infer, as in central Massachusetts Festival, commencing on to-morrow, the anniversary of the poet's birth. Othello, Brutus and Macbeth are parts of Mr. CREBWICK's choice, and his personations in tragedy rank as high in Europe that it is a matter of regret their first exhibition in this country should be made elsewhere than in New-York. We shall, however, have the pleasure of recording opinions which will be the result of experience and thought, and we could not have looked for them in all other cities. Mr. JAMES BENNETT is to be the Iago, and Mr. WALTER MONTGOMERY the Mare Antony of the brief but, we hope, brilliant season.

MME. JANAUSCHEK.

Mme. JANAUSCHEK sails for Europe to-day, on the steam-ship Russ. The season just now ended has been one profitable in every respect to that eminent artiste, and she will carry with her pleasant recollections only of a series of representations which we

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

Tammany Being Satisfied, it Adjourns Sine Die.

Closing Acts and Scenes—Object of the New Republican Movement—Comments on Winans' Defense.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ALBANY, Friday, April 21, 1871.

The Democratic Legislature of 1871, which will be hereafter known as the greatest legislative fraud of this generation, and, next to the Erie Ring, the "great scandal of the period," will adjourn this evening sine die. It leaves behind it a record which curses to damn to eternal infamy the party that sent it here, and which, if the people are true to themselves and have any desire to perpetuate even the forms of free government, will never be repeated again during this century at least. It will require more time than is afforded me to even glance at the manifold villanies and corruptions that have been perpetrated by the Democratic majority here this session, and I enter the sickening task to another occasion. The closing hours of the two Houses have been spent in rushing through the few remaining bills that were left after the adjournment last night, and in "conference committee" upon the Supply bill, the Charity bill and other appropriations about which the Senate and Assembly could not agree.

THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The report sent you last evening with regard to a caucus of the Republicans was substantially correct, with the exception of two names. Neither CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW nor Gen. COGSWELL are on the Committee, but the other names are correct. The object of the movement is to purify the party of what are known as "Tammany Republicans," and take measures to elect a union of all true Republicans in the State. It is neither a Fenton nor a Conkling movement, but simply a movement to rid the party of the leadership of those men in the Legislature or elsewhere who have not backbone enough to stand up against the blandishments or the ruffianism of Tammany Hall, but are constantly playing into the hands of that corrupt organization, either from motives of cowardice or greed. If it so happens that most of these "Tammany Hall Republicans" are of the same time as Senator, of FENTON, then all the worse for FENTON; but it is not proposed to take any part in the quarrel between the two Senators, leaving them to fight their own battles, while the personal friends of both, ignoring them both, look after the interests and welfare of the Republican Party. Nearly two-thirds of the Republican members of the Legislature join in the movement, and it is destined to exercise a wide influence over the destinies of the party during the coming year.

WINANS' DEFENSE.

The long-talked-of "defense" of the traitor WINANS, which appears in the morning papers to-day, attracts very little attention here. Those who have read it characterize it as a much weaker document than they expected, and as reading more like a eulogy of FENTON than a defense of WINANS. "Praise from Sir HUBERT STANLEY is praise indeed," and FENTON must feel proud of his new champion. S.

The Supply and Charity Bills—Total Appropriated by the Latter, $800,000—Senate Secret Documents Against Judge Woodruff—Chinese Senses and Final Adjournment.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 21.—The Legislature adjourned sine die at 7:45 o'clock this evening. The last four hours were spent in trying to effect an agreement between the two Houses on certain items in the Supply and Charity bills. The clause in the first bill, relating to the Capitol Commission, was finally left as it passed the Assembly, the Senate having receded from its amendment authorizing the Governor to appoint two additional Commissioners. The Commission now stands three Republicans and three Democrats. The Senate amendment increasing the appropriation for the Capitol to $650,000 was concurred in by the Assembly.

THE CHARITY BILL.

The Charity bill was reduced twenty-five per cent on all items over $500 from the way it stood when it passed the lower House. The sum total now is about $800,000. A motion by a Republican Senator to strike out all the items appropriating money to private or sectarian schools was lost by a party vote; all the Democrats voting in the negative. This is the second time during the session that the Democratic Senators have put themselves on record in favor of appropriating the public money to sectarian purposes; the first time being on Senator WOODIN's amendment to the Constitution prohibiting such appropriations.

NO ACTION AGAINST JUDGE WOODRUFF.

The Legislature adjourned without taking any action on DENNIS BURNS' voluminous document asking for the indictment of Judge WOODRUFF. The Democrats were afraid to call it from the table and submit it to the discussion, lest the public should ascertain who are the real patrons of thieves and felons, and which party it is that makes use of such characters at elections in New-York. They have had the documents printed by SWINTON's New-York Printing Company, at the expense of Republican tax-payers in New-York, in order to distribute it as a campaign document, and this is all they wanted.

DEMONSTRATION ABOUT BAYONETS AT ELECTIONS.

Democratic resolutions about bayonets at elections were also allowed to go by the board without any decision on the part of the House. This was very cruel on the old gentleman, and he gave some unquotable, leaving no record of his having duly labor to present to his constituents, except the fact that he has dyed his hair regularly twice a day during the session. He lives in happy ignorance, and says if he can retain the Tribune's support, he thinks the Republicans will elect him Speaker next year.

FAREWELL.

Lieut.-Gov. BEACH and Speaker HITCHMAN delivered themselves of happy farewell speeches before they knocked down their aprons for the last time, and with a somewhat hard-shaking, and a parting drink all round, the members dispersed from the scene of their labors and their quarrels, and the Legislature of 1871 was consigned to the tender mercies of the historian.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.....ALBANY, Friday, April 21.

The following bills were passed:

To authorize the consolidation Long Island Railroad Company, and increasing the par value of their stock; appropriating $2,000,000 in aid of the Adirondack and Mohawk Road.

THE STATE CHARITIES.

The State Charity bill was taken up. Mr. TWEED said last night he had moved to reduce the appropriations fifty per cent, which was carried. On reflection, he was satisfied that this would embarrass some deserving institutions. He therefore moved to strike out his amendment. Carried.

On motion of Mr. CHEAMENS, $2,500 was inserted for the New-York College of Dentistry.

Mr. CHAPMAN said that the bill was so heavily loaded as it now stood it could not fail to receive an Executive veto. He therefore moved to reduce all the appropriations twenty-five per cent.

Mr. CAULDWELL moved to amend so that the reduction should only apply to appropriations over $5,000. Lost.

Mr. CHAPMAN's amendment was adopted by 15 to 5.

The Senate then took a recess for one hour.

On reopening the doors, on motion of Mr. TWEED, the resolution for a final adjournment at 5 o'clock was adopted.

The following bills were passed:

Authorizing the Mayor of New-York to appoint Fire Marshals; to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in New-York; the Richmond County Highway Labor act; relative to New-York Quarantine and duties of Health Officers; amending the act relative to the Insurance Department; incorporating the National Trust and Banking Company, of New-York.

THE CHARITIES AGAIN.

The State Charity bill was taken up. Mr. CHAPMAN moved to strike out all appropriations to private or sectarian schools. Lost. The vote was as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bowen, Brand, Chapman, Hitchcock, Kennedy, Minier, Parker, Thayer, Winslow, Wood, Woodin—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Banks, Cauldwell, Creamer, Frost, Graham, Hubbard, Lord, Morgan, C. P. Norton, M. Norton, Sweet—13.

The bill was then passed by a vote of 22 to 0.

The Republican Senators not voting on CHAPMAN's amendment were paired with Democratic Senators absent serving on Conference Committees.

THE SUPPLY BILL.

Mr. LORD, from the Conference Committee on the Supply bill, reported an agreement upon the various amendments. The Senate having inserted an amendment authorizing the Governor to appoint two new Capitol Commissioners in addition to those named, the Conference Committee struck that clause out. The report of the Committee was agreed to—22 to 4.

THE GENERAL TAX BILL.

The Assembly General Tax bill was then passed. It provides for five and five-eighths mills tax per dollar of valuation.

MUTUAL ADMIRATION.

Mr. MURPHY being in the chair, Mr. KENNEDY rose, and after a flowery eulogium took a roseate manner in which the Lieutenant-Governor had presided over the Senate, offered a resolution of thanks to that officer, which was adopted. A resolution of thanks to Mr. MURPHY, the President pro tem. of the Senate, was also adopted.

The Senate then took a recess till 8 o'clock P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS.

On the reassembling of the Senate, on motion of Mr. TWEED, the General Town Bonding bill was laid on the table, and subsequently passed. After concurring in the amendments of the Assembly to various bills, the Senate took a recess to 6¼ P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

On reassembling, Mr. LORD reported the Charity bill from the Conference Committee, and the report was agreed to.

THE SUPREME COURT.

The Conference Committee reported the bill fixing the times and places for holding the General Terms of the Supreme Court, and the report was agreed to.

THE CLOSE.

The Committee to inform the Governor and the Assembly that the Senate was ready to adjourn having been appointed, resolutions of thanks were offered to HIRAM CALKINS, the Clerk of the Senate, and CHARLES R. DAYTON, Journal Clerk. Lieut.-Gov. BEACH then addressed the Senate, and declared that body adjourned without day.

ASSEMBLY.

The following bills were passed:

To prevent the spread of contagious diseases in the City of New-York and to provide for the care of persons affected therewith; the appropriating moneys for new work and extraordinary repairs on canals; the Conference Committee on the General Appropriation bill reported an agreement, and the report was agreed to. Amending the act relative to savings banks, and conferring additional powers on the Bank Superintendent; amending the charter of the City of Brooklyn.

THE GENERAL TAX BILL.

The House then took a recess until 7½ o'clock this afternoon, and on reassembling took a recess till 8 P. M. On reassembling at that hour, the General State Tax bill was reported as amended, providing for a tax of five and five-eighths mills, and the amendment was concurred in.

THE SUPPLY BILL.

The Conference Committee on the Supply bill reported the amendments adopted. The report was agreed to and the bill passed.

Mr. JACOBS stated the footing in the Supply bill to be $800,000 less than last year's, and that the tax this year would be five and one-half mills, against seven mills forty one-hundredths last year.

THE CHARITY BILL.

The State Charity bill, as amended by the Senate, was announced, and a Conference Committee appointed.

THE NEW-YORK ELEVATED RAILWAY.

Mr. LOUDERBACK offered a resolution that the Attorney-General submit an opinion to the next Legislature on its power to repeal the charter of the New-York Elevated Railway. Adopted.

The House took a recess till 6 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

On reassembling, the resolution to appoint commissioners to confer with Commissioners of other States, to make arrangements for the celebration at Philadelphia in 1876, of the centennial anniversary of American Independence, was received from the Senate, with amendments, which were concurred in. This resolution, which appoints the Speaker of the House of the Commissioners, authorizes him to appoint seven others from the House, and he has made the following selections: John C. Jacobs, Thomas C. Fields, Alexander Frear, Smith M. Weed, George W. Nicholas, James W. Husted, and Thomas G. Alvord.

The House then took a recess for half an hour.

THE CHARITY BILL.

On reassembling, Mr. JACOBS reported the State Charity bill from the Conference Committee. He stated that, with amendments, the bill appropriated about $750,000. The report was agreed to.

RELATING TO ADJOURN.

The Senate resolution for final adjournment was taken up, and amended so as to fix the hour at 6:30 P. M.

The usual committees were appointed to wait on the Governor and Senate to inform them the House was ready to adjourn.

These committees subsequently reported that neither the Governor nor Senate had any further business.

A committee from the Senate announced that that body was ready to adjourn.

The Speaker then addressed the House, and at the close declared the Assembly adjourned *sine die*.

WRONGS OF A BISHOP.

Treatment of Bishop Martinez by the Havana Authorities—Refused to Let Him Land—His Version of the Difficulty.

The steam-ship Missouri arrived yesterday from Havana, bringing a large number of passengers, among them being Bishop MARTINEZ, Bishop of Havana, accompanied by his Secretary, Abbe PARIS, who left this port a fortnight ago to take charge of his diocese in Havana. On the 13th inst. the Bishop arrived at Havana, duly furnished with Episcopal authorities from the Cabinet at Madrid, and requested the attention of Captain-General VALMASEDA, but he was refused permission to go ashore.

The following is the statement, present, and retrospective, of what occurred, as made by the Prelate last night at the St. Nicholas Hotel:

"It is, I assure you, a painful, very painful, subject for me to speak about, but I will tell you the facts of the case as far as lies in my power. I was ordained Bishop of Havana in 1864, and while out in Cuba did my best to do my duty. I unfortunately made a good many enemies, when the insurrection broke out in 1868. I was very intimate with Captain-General DULCE, who, you may remember, made himself very obnoxious to the people, and a cry was raised that he and I were traitors and supporters of the rebellion. I may be well state here that in my capacity as Bishop I have always thought it to be my duty to take equal care of the souls of the Spaniard, and the Cuban. Who were in revolt. I sent priests among the latter, administering them to preach the Gospel—for this, my conduct was misconstrued, but I had the satisfaction of feeling I was doing my duty. The priests were provided with a small amount of funds to do what good they could. I subsequently made an enemy of DULCE's successor, LERSUNDI, who desired that I should give orders in my diocese that bells of the church should be rung in the villages and cities where he should enter, which honor is only paid to a Bishop and Archbishop. I told him plainly I would not entertain his request, and I consequently became much disliked by him.

When the Ecumenical Council was in session, I was present. The Archbishop of Havana died two years ago, so I was the highest prelate on the Island of Cuba. His predecessor, a former Bishop of Toledo, had been forced to seek safety in flight.

Upon my arrival in this country I telegraphed to my clergy at Havana, and stated I soon hoped to be in their midst. This was the third time I had passed through New-York, and, as it is not the custom for dignitaries of the Church, or priests, to have their passports countersigned by the Spanish Consul, I did not have that formality fulfilled, as I never judged it requisite. The Missouri duly arrived, and I was refused permission to land, but, I am forgetting to tell you that, in the meantime, telegrams had been sent to Madrid respecting me from Havana, and the orders sent from Madrid were that the votes of the commanders of Volunteers should be taken as to whether I should be allowed to land. This was done—seven voted that I should not land, and three that I should. The first official notification I received on the subject came from one of VALMASEDA's Aide-de-camps. He said that Gen. VALMASEDA was absent at Espiritu Santo, but had left orders that I might go wherever I liked outside Cuba, and that if I would not consent to this, I was to repair immediately to the frigate Sarsogosa, where I would be treated as a prisoner. I asked as a right that he should send me a written notification of the same, as I still considered myself the spiritual head of 900,000 faithful souls on the Island. He withdrew, and failed to return. The next visit I received was from the chief of the municipality, who was barely civil. I made the same request to him, and asked for a written instead of an oral notification, and with the same result. Numbers of clergy of my diocese came on board and sympathized with me on my heavy affliction. I received visits from many of the principal members of the laity, and the ship became crowded with Cubans. I was notified by the authorities to leave with all expedition. Knowing myself slandered, which I reluctantly did, a useless quibble was made about my passport not being countersigned in New-York. My heart is full when I think over it, but I will not return there now by the permission of the military who rule Cuba. I forgive them all. God knows, like in the words of our blessed Savior, they know not what they do. I forgot to tell you that shortly before my arrival in Havana placards had been posted in the streets, which were pasquinades on my holy office, and which ended by stating that the Volunteers would walk over my body before I should be allowed to enter the city."

THE CONNECTICUT ELECTION.

The Official Canvass of the Votes for Governor—An Apparent Majority for Mr. English.

The official canvassers of Connecticut met yesterday, in Hartford, and canvassed the votes cast for Governor at the recent election. A copy of the recapitulation of the vote by counties has been furnished by their clerk to the Hartford *Times*, and this is as follows:

	1870.		1871.		
Counties	English.	Jewell.	English.	Jewell.	Scat'g.
Hartford....	8,324	8,068	8,718		
New-Haven..	11,278	8,899	11,901	10,389	6
New-London.	4,581	3,340	5,174	3,663	2
Fairfield....	7,762	7,151	8,469	7,660	1
Windham....	2,030	1,825	2,229	1,915	0
Litchfield..	4,000	3,178	4,409	3,420	1
Middlesex..	3,764	2,964	3,924	3,139	0
Tolland....	1,949	1,573	2,001	1,803	0
Total....	44,173	36,998	47,825	37,418	17

The seventeen scattering votes are thus divided: English, 9; James English, 1; J. E. English, 1; J. English, 1; Francis Gillette, 4; Charles Parker, 1; John S. Schoonover, 1; Henry F. Hayden, 1; Oliver Chipman, 1; Thomas M. Waller, 1; Wm. A. Buckingham, 1; Charles B. Perkins, 1.

Adding the six votes evidently intended for Mr. ENGLISH to the total (47,490) given above, his whole vote is 47,496. The total for Mr. JEWELL (47,460) should be increased by 18, in accordance with corrected returns from Cheshire, making his vote 47,478. The result then is:

English	47,496
Jewell	47,478
Scattering	17
English's plurality	18
English's majority	18

These returns are to be submitted to the Legislature by the canvassers at its assembling on the 3d of May.

Latest Denials of the Vote—The Disputed Returns from New-Haven—The Other State Officers Certainly Republicans.

A telegram from Hartford to the Associated Press, last evening, gives some additional details respecting disputed votes, as follows:

The Board of Canvassers will report the following figures to the Legislature: For ENGLISH, 47,892; JEWELL, 47,460; scattering, 17. This gives ENGLISH a majority of 28. There was a manifest error giving ENGLISH two too many in Somers, which, if the Legislature corrects, will reduce his total to 47,490. There are discrepancies in returns from Hartford, where a full investigation will no doubt add 33 to JEWELL's vote, making his total 47,478, which, with 17 scattering, would make 47,490, the same as ENGLISH. Of the scattering 3, and possibly 6 votes will be cast by the Legislature for ENGLISH. There is a statement, however, from the New-Haven moderator of a probable mistake in the Fourth Ward count, giving 100 too many votes for ENGLISH, and from Ex-Gov. ENGLISH, of Stratford. These statements will go the Legislature, and if a mistake is shown there as claimed, JEWELL will be declared Governor by about 90 majority over all.

Of the State officers, MORRIS TYLER, Republican, is elected Lieutenant-Governor by a majority of 193; DAVID P. NICHOLS, Republican, by 193 majority. Owing to an informality in the returns and incorrectly spelled ballots, the canvassers cannot declare that anyone has a majority for Secretary of State or Controller. The Legislature will, however, elect HIRAM APPELMAN Secretary of State, and JAMES W. MANNING Controller, both Republicans. The votes manifestly intended for them would give APPELMAN 161 majority and MANNING 250.

IRON SHIP-BUILDING YARDS.

Measures to Reconcile Expenses in the Navy—Suggestions by the Secretary of the Navy.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20.—As preparatory to early action during the next session of Congress, the Senate recently adopted a resolution directing the Secretary of the Navy to communicate such proposals as may have been received for establishing iron ship-building yards and docks for economise expenditures in the navy, with such explanations, suggestions and recommendations as may be advantageous to the Government, and as will aid in restoring commerce. The reply of the Secretary was laid before the Senate just before the adjournment. He says the only proposals from any organized and reliable sources are those of the International Steam-ship Company, which he transmits, with an analysis of their provision and effect, showing that by them great advantage will be gained to the navy and country, and that we have ores in the country which will produce iron of much greater power of resistance and tensile strength than the iron of Great Britain, at no greater expense than the difference in the cost of labor; that this superior strength will equalize the difference in cost, by lessening the weight of ship and machinery; that by further gain of facilities offering for building docks, the cost of ships of 3,000 tons and upward will be equalized with those built in Europe; that one ship-building yard operating successfully, with facilities concentrated, and economy in each department, will demonstrate our ability to compete successfully with our commercial rivals, and will afford at once practical encouragement to the revival of ship-building throughout the country, and a new impulse to that of commerce; that the creation of such a building yard is a necessity to give it vitality and permanence; that the objects proposed present themselves most favorably to the Navy Department; and that he feels authorized to speak strongly of the great value and almost absolute necessity of such facilities to the Government; that they are necessary to our responsibility and security in peace and our safety in war. The Secretary says: "I will hereafter endeavor to suggest, in obedience to your resolution, some system, to be perfected under your deliberations, for the establishment of lines of ocean steamers, adapted, as far as may be, for commerce in time of peace, and for naval militia in time of war." He closes his letter in these words: "I can not assume even under the sanction of your resolution, to point out or recommend, to what extent, in what manner, or under what safeguard, the Government should afford assistance to these objects. This is wholly for the representatives of the people, with whom is the power and the responsibility."

Such a system as the Secretary foreshadows to come in his next report to Congress, is designed to give steamers and commerce to every ocean and port, protection to our coasts and trade, and will add reputation and honor to Mr. Secretary ROBESON, for its inauguration, and place our country in the proud position of the first commercial and naval Power of the world.

Reappointment of the School Commissioners.

Yesterday afternoon Mayor HALL reappointed the present members of the Board of Education, under the provisions of one of the amendments to the City charter, and in conformity with the promise made by him in the correspondence had between himself and Mr. PETER COOPER. It is presumed that the Board so reappointed will organize in a few days for the balance of the year, and it is understood that Mr. BERNARD SMITH will be re-elected President, and that there will be no change in the Committees.

Verdict in the Jamel Will Case.

The celebrated case of BROWN *vs.* CHASE, which has been on trial in the United States Circuit Court, before Judge WOODRUFF, for several days, was concluded last night by the jury rendering a verdict for the defendant CHASE, after a consultation of three minutes.

Seventy-first Regiment Veteran Dinner.

The Veteran Association of the Seventy-first Regiment, composed mainly of the officers and members who were with the regiment during the war, celebrated their third anniversary, and the tenth anniversary of the regiment's departure for Washington, in 1861, by a dinner at the Hotel Brunswick, last evening. At the dinner, besides the Veteran members, there were many of the present officers and privates of the regiment. Among the invited guests were Major-Gens. McDOWELL and AMBROSE E. BURNSIDE, and Col. HARRY ALLEN, of Providence. These latter gentlemen were attached to the Rhode Island regiment that made the famous march from Annapolis to the Junction, and which MILLARD, one of the Seventy-first, has handed down to the present time in song. The song was sung with a grand chorus after dinner. Several regular toasts followed the dinner. The Committee of Arrangements, consisting of Ex-Col. CHARLES H. SMITH, Col. HARRY WORTHELEE, and Capt. JAMES A. BAKER, admirably performed their duties.

Previous to the dinner the Veterans held their annual meeting and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Colonel, Henry F. Martin; Lieutenant-Colonel, Chas. Henry Smith; Senior Major, William J. Coles; Junior Major, Oliver Libby; Adjutant, Harry Rockefeller; Engineer, E. A. Quintard; Quartermaster, Geo. W. Rosevelt; Commissary, James T. Sanford; Pay-master, Philip R. Wilkins; Surgeon, Dr. Charles McMillan; Assistant Surgeon, Dr. James D. Reybold, Executive Committee—Ex-Captain Samuel A. Bunce, Ex-Captain O. P. Smith, Ex-Captain Andrew M. Underhill, Ex-Captain Wm. H. Benjamin, and Ex-Sergeant Elon Peck.

FRENCH-AMERICAN UNITY.

Meeting of French Residents—Important Measures Suggested for Uniting the French People in this Country.

A French international meeting was held at Masonic Hall last evening, under the auspices of the French Canadian Union Club. There was a large attendance present, including many ladies. M. HONORE GOULET presided, and addresses were delivered by Messrs. Prof. Charles Ville, Dr. Sohet, F. A. Bartault, Prof. Batchelor and others. Letters were read from Mons. CHALVIN in reference to the reorganization of the Lafayette Guard, with a view of making it a strictly French regiment; and from M. PAUL MIGNET in reference to the permanent establishment of the French theatre in this country as a means of promoting the French nationality. Resolutions were adopted declaring that the French population in the United States should have an understanding in regard to the question of Canadian annexation and act in concert, and that action should be taken to reunite the French elements in this country by the introduction of French in the public schools, by securing the appointment of a French commissioner of exhibition, by establishing French literary institutions, a French immigration society, and by calling a convention of the French of North America. The meeting was enlivened with music by the Union Club.

Address Adverse to Free Trade and Protection.

The eighty-fourth meeting of the New-York Liberal Club was held at Plimpton Hall last evening. A paper was read and an address delivered by Mr. J. N. BETHUNE, on the "Fallacies of Protectionists and the Free Traders." The speaker proceeded to show the inequalities and unfairness of all the existing schemes of tariff, revenue and tax. He said the free trade, tariff and protection were but other names for the same system of robbery, and multiplied the number of spies, informers, detectives, and other robbers of various sorts. He quoted the fact of the "black tariff," passed in 1828, and repealed in 1832, as one of an amazing series of oppressive acts. He said that prices ruled higher with a low than a high tariff; that such was the multiplicity and complexity of our taxes that no one could tell how much we were taxed, and the people praised a system that robbed a man without his realization of the fact, method and extent. In England it took 147 years, and 2,000 accumulated tariff enactments to reduce the people to the starving point. If the voters of this country could see how the manufacturing interests alone identified with the tariff, the people en masse would demand and force its repeal in three days. Very interesting statistics were presented in support of this assertion. After remarks were made by several others the meeting adjourned.

MR. BRENTANO, No. 33 Union-square, has again stocked his counters with a good supply of foreign publications, including the *Graphic*, (which is a very fine number,) the *Illustrated London News*, *Punch*, *Nature*, and the *Saturday Review*. Every paper of interest is to be found in Mr. BRENTANO's well-known store.

GEO. STECK & CO.'s NEW WAREROOMS.—All the great piano-makers are migrating up town; they naturally follow the course of fashion. GEO. STECK & CO. have long occupied with CHICKERING and STEINWAY the leading position among piano-forte manufacturers, and the name of the firm is synonymous with excellence.

The new and beautiful warerooms—which they are fitting up in elaborate and costly style—are situated in East Fourteenth-street, No. 25, close to Union-square, and midway between STEINWAY and CHICKERING, so that Fourteenth-street will henceforth be known as the great piano-street of New-York.

GEO. STECK & CO. will remove from their old location in a few days, and will throw open their new and beautiful warerooms to the public during the present month. Although the change of location can add nothing to the reputation of GEO. STECK & CO., it will bring them closer within the circle of competition in which they can hold their own.—*Watson's Art Journal.*

THE NEW-YORK TIMES.

SUNDAY EDITION.

Among the leading features of our Sunday edition of the 23d inst. will be the following:

A paper specially prepared for this edition, entitled THE WILD BEAST MARKET, containing the results of much careful investigation into the trade in wild animals. Many interesting and amusing details will be given, as to the habits and peculiarities of the animals of traveling menageries and zoological gardens. Lions, tigers, elephants, giraffes, monkeys, &c. &c., will receive appreciative and suggestive treatment, and a highly novel sphere of inquiry will be revealed for the amusement and instruction of the reader.

A seasonable paper for the 1st of May will be found in FURNITURE MOVING; containing a graphic sketch of its difficulties and drawbacks, with sundry practical hints as to how to overcome them. The guaranteed methods of the large companies, and the irresponsible operations of the carmen, will be advertised to, and a full tariff of the season's prices per load will be given.

For the benefit of late inquirers after dwellings, details will be furnished of RENTS IN BROOKLYN, where numerous houses are still in want of tenants. Numerous illustrations will be given of the depreciation in value of house property in the City of Churches, and house-hunters still unsettled will find this paper contain exactly the information they require.

In the department of CURRENT LITERATURE will be found a good story, and the usual copious and interesting extracts from the latest books and magazines, both native and European.

The DRAMATIC CHRONICLE of the week will contain a full summary of local and general events in the world of the Theatres and Opera-houses.

NOTES AND COMMENTS will preserve their usual variety, quaintness and interest.

The department of the FINE ARTS will contain criticisms on the newest pictures and instructive hints for purchasers.

Under the heading of MILITARY GOSSIP will be found a comprehensive summary of matters of interest to members of our National Guard and kindred organizations.

Among the letters from our special correspondents there will be found one of special interest on ENGLISH AFFAIRS, giving a very full and intelligible outline of several late movements in English society and politics that are of great significance and importance.

Our Sunday edition, in common with our ordinary daily issue, contains the LATEST INTELLIGENCE received by telegraph and mail up to the hour of going to press. Ample space is given to local and general topics, and no reputable is wanting to make this edition a complete exhibit of the news of the day, as well as an interesting collection of general reading.

The best evidence that can be given of the merits of our Sunday issue is its constantly increasing circulation. Of this fact, as well as of its exceptional value in other respects, advertisers would do well to take note. To insure proper classification it is requested that advertisements be sent in before 9 o'clock on Saturday evening.

NEW-YORK TIMES FOR EUROPE.

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MARRIED.

GRAY—GUNTHER.—On Tuesday, April 18, at St. George's Church, Stuyvesant-square, by Rev. George Hendric, assisted by Rev. Dr. Hutton, Rev. D. D. JOHN CLINTON GRAY, to EVA P., daughter of Wm. Henry Gunther, Esq., all of this City.

HORSEFIELD—APPLEBY.—At Manhasset, Westchester, April 18, by Rev. James M. Hoskins, WILLIAM HORSFIELD to ALICE, daughter of Mr. Joseph B. Appleby.

HOVEY—FOLSOM.—On Wednesday, April 19, at St. George's Church, Stuyvesant-square, by Bishop Littlejohn, assisted by Rev. Dr. Berry, Rev. Dr. Hovey, Rev. HENRY EMERSON HOVEY, Rector of the Church of the Ascension, Fall River, Mass., to SARAH LOUISE, daughter of Charles J. Folsom, Esq., of this City.

JACKSON—LOCKWOOD.—On Wednesday, the 19th inst., by Rev. W. J. Seabury, CHARLES CARROLL JACKSON and MARIA, daughter of the late George Washington Cooper.

MORTIMER—HOLT.—In Baltimore, April 19, by Rev. Dr. Hodges, CLIFFORD MORTIMER, of New-York, to EMMA, daughter of the late Daniel Holt, of Baltimore.

SHIBERT—REICHEL.—On the 20th inst., in the Moravian Church, Nazareth, Pa., by Rev. Wenzel M. Beckel, assisted by Rev. Samuel Reichel, Mr. ADOLPH SHIBERT, of Jamaica, Long Island, and Miss MARY H. REICHEL, only daughter of the officiating clergyman.

DIED.

CAPE.—On Friday morning, April 21, of scarlet fever, IRENE FLOYD CAPE, daughter of Henry C. and Sarah Willis Cape, aged 7 years and 6 months.

The Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Saturday, 22d inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., from the Presbyterian Church in Jamaica, without further invitation.

KISSAM.—On Thursday evening, 20th inst., MARIA A. KISSAM, in the 83d year of her age.

Her relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Monday morning, at 10 o'clock, from the church, corner of Lafayette-place and 4th-st., without further notice.

KIDDLETON.—On Friday, 21st inst., LOUY C. MIDDLETON, wife of Wm. Kiddleton, aged 36 years.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her son-in-law, Edmund A. Smith, No. 239 Madison-av., on Monday, 24th inst., at 2 P. M. The remains will be taken to Rye, Westchester County.

FALLISTER.—On Friday morning, April 21, 1871, JENNY, wife of Wm. Fallister, aged 32 years and 8 months.

The funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 76 Bedford-st., on Sunday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

RICE.—April 21, at North Tarrytown, N. Y., Mr. NATHAN RICE, late of Washington, D. C.

THOMPSON.—On Friday morning, suddenly, of apoplexy, Rev. JAMES THOMPSON, of Twenty-fifth-street United Presbyterian Church, aged 53 years.

The friends of the family and congregation are invited to attend the funeral from the church, on Monday, 24th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M.

THORNE.—At College Point, Long Island, April 20, M. ANN, daughter of Algernon S. and Pamela B. Thorne, in the 6th year of her age.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral at St. George's Church, Flushing, on Saturday, 22d inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

YELLOWLEES.—Suddenly, Thursday evening, April 20, ROBERT YELLOWLEES, in the 61st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 151 Congress-st., Brooklyn.

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POST-OFFICE NOTICE.

The mails for Europe during the week ending SATURDAY, April 22, 1871, will close at this office on TUESDAY at 11½ A. M. (on WEDNESDAY at 12 M. on THURSDAY at 12 M.) and on SATURDAY at 11½ A. M.

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NEW-YORK SWIMMING A

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Robbed in a Chatham-Street Concert-Saloon—Disturbing Loafers on the Five Points—Alleged Saturday Liquor-Dealer.

RANDOM BURROWS, of Paterson, N. J., came to New-York on Thursday, and, among other places, he visited a concert-saloon, kept by ANDREW PETERSON, at No. 163 Chatham-street. Here he was waited upon by LIZZIE MCGUIRE, of No. 16 Chrystie-street, who supplied him with two bottles of wine. Burrows gave her a $50 United States note, from which to take $10 in payment for the wine, but when LIZZIE had been to the bar, she returned to BURROWS minus the change. To his inquiry she insisted that he had only given her TWO $5 notes. He subsequently called in Officers FAIR and MAHONEY, who arrested the girl and ANDREW PETERSON, the proprietor of the saloon. Yesterday morning the prisoners were taken before Justice DOWLING, and were both committed to Special Sessions. PETERSON found bail readily for his appearance, but the complainant, being a stranger, was locked up in the House of Detention, while the girl was sent to the City Prison.

JOHN GORMAN, another of the little pickpockets who infest the City, stealing currency while pretending to sell newspapers, was yesterday sent by Justice DOGAN to the School-ship, having been convicted on the attempt of robbery at a steamer.

The unknown man found in the North River, at the foot of Twenty-fourth-street, is supposed, by a passport in his pocket, to be a Prussian named JOHN MULLER, aged thirty-eight. The body appears to have been in the water for many months, having evidently been thrown into the river by the murderers. Coroner YOUNG will hold an inquest on the body of the man who was found on Tuesday, in a mutilated condition on the Hudson River Railroad track. He has been identified as MICHAEL KRAL, German, plasterer, of Seventeenth-street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, who, being of very intemperate habits, is supposed to have fallen from the bridge over the track.

The investigation into the cause of the death of MARY FULMEN, who died in Bellevue Hospital from burns received at No. 104 Pitt-street, showed that she had mistaken a kerosene lamp for the teapot, while under the influence of liquor, and placing it on the hot stove, it exploded and set fire to her clothing.

ROSANNA ALLEN, who was injured by being accidentally run over by a Harlem train, near Woodlawn Cemetery, was brought to Bellevue Hospital for treatment. He, however, died before reaching the hospital, and the case was yesterday given to Coroner YOUNG for investigation.

Capt. KENNEDY, with Detectives DOLAN, FITZMAURICE and VAN BURKIRK, yesterday afternoon made a raid on a gang of loafers who congregate in the vicinity of the Five Points, and arrested sixteen of them, including one woman. When taken to Court they presented a curious assortment of disreputable-looking persons, ranging of all shades of color, and ranging in height from five feet to nearly six feet. They have long infested the neighborhood, having no apparent occupation in the day-time, and occupying their nights with sneak-thieving, burglary, &c. The following are the names of those who were yesterday sent by Justice HOGAN to Blackwell's Island as vagrants: Samuel McCloskey, Charles Mitchell, Edward Wilson, Thomas Brown, Thomas Williams, Samuel McCloskey, Jr., Thomas Williams, Jr., Thomas Williams, Jr., Thomas Williams

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BANKERS' AND BROKERS' ASSOCIATION.
An election of Trustees for the ensuing year will be held at the rooms of the Association on TUESDAY, May 2, at noon.
Transfer books will close April 22 at 3 P. M. and re-open May 3 at 10 A. M.
J. L. BROWNELL, Secretary.

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NEW-YORK, April 19, 1871.
NOTICE.—WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO REfund the Government tax deducted in excess of the required amount on coupons due Jan. 1, 1871, of the following Companies:
Chicago and Alton Railroad.
Joliet and Chicago Railroad.
Dubuque and Sioux City Railroad.
Dubuque and South-western Railroad.
Atlantic and Gulf Railroad.
Mason and Agricultural Railroad.
Detroit and Milwaukee Railroad.
Detroit and Pontiac Railroad.
M. K. JESUP & CO., No. 32 Pine-st.

OFFICE OF LAKE SHORE AND MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY,
CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 22, 1871.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company for the election of Directors will be held at the office of the Company in Cleveland, Ohio, on WEDNESDAY, the 3d day of May next, between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.
The transfer books of the Company will be closed April 8 at 3 o'clock P. M. and opened May 4.
GEO. B. ELY, Secretary.

NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, Nos. 261 AND 263 BROADWAY,
NEW-YORK, April 12, 1871.
ELECTION.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of this Company, for the election of ten trustees for the first class, one trustee to fill a vacancy in the third class, and three inspectors of election for the ensuing year, will be held at the banking-room of the Company, on TUESDAY, the 25th inst.
Poll open from 12 M. until 1 P. M.
JAMES MERRELL, Secretary.

BANK OF AMERICA, April 18, 1871.
THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Bank of America are hereby notified that the annual election of Directors will be held at the banking-house on MONDAY, the 1st day of May ensuing. The poll will open at 12 o'clock and close at 1 o'clock.
The transfer-books will remain closed from the morning of April 21 until the morning of May 2, 1871.
ROBERT JAFFRAY, Cashier.

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OF
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The Company is a Legal Depository for Moneys Paid into Court.
D. R. MANGAM, President.
JAMES MERRELL, Secretary.

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WANTED BY E. B. BAILEY, No. 65 Wall-st.

ASTOR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 104 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, April 17, 1871.
AT THE ANNUAL ELECTION HELD on the 12th inst., the following named gentlemen were duly elected Directors for the ensuing year:

ROBT. B. ROOSEVELT,	JOHN JACOB ASTOR,
PETER D. GOELINS,	PHILAN. HANFORD,
WM. L. CONKLIN,	AUGUSTUS SCHELL,
JOS. A. APPLEBY,	JONA. THOMPSON,
WM. C. ALTHAUS,	ROBERT L. WILLETS,
ELISHA BROOKS,	CHARLES F. TAG,
JOHN B. DUNHAM,	JOHN S. GILES,
BENJ. W. MERRIAM,	S. F. JOHNSON,
ABRAM R. DUBOIS,	WM. HONTHORN,
WILLIAM CLOSE,	SAMUEL COULTER,
EDWARD EWEN,	HECTOR MORISON,
SAMUEL TRYON,	JAMES DICKSON,
HENRY SCHUBART,	SAMUEL B. MABBATT,
NASH MOSELEY,	HENRY HILL,
PHILIP C. HARMON,	ALON. B. HAMPTON.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board held THIS DAY, ROBERT D. HART, Esq., was unanimously re-elected President, and PETER D. COLLINS, Esq., Vice-President, for the ensuing year.
JAMES VERREANCE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY,
No. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, April 20, 1871.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stock and bond holders of the Chicago and North-western Railway Company for the election of Directors pursuant to law, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Chicago, on THURSDAY, the 1st day of June next, at 11 o'clock A. M.
The transfer-books will be closed on the 20th day of April inst., at the close of business on that day, and reopened on Saturday, the 3d day of June next, at 10 A. M.
JOHN F. TYLER, President.
R. L. PETTIBONE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD CO.,
No. 12 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, March 1, 1871.
CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND BONDS.—Notice is hereby given, that we have this day designated the following numbers of bonds, as follows: 27, 36, 149, 59, 77, 655, 546, 325, 899, 420, 506, 404, 422, 97, 57, 306, 568, 562, 221, 312, 414, 120, 472, 474, 393, 244, of $1,000 each for redemption.
According to the terms of the mortgage interest thereon will cease May 1, 1871.
The undersigned are ready to pay them with interest, as far as accrued, on presentation and surrender.
J. J. TILDEN, No. 10 Wall-st.
L. H. MEYER, No. 21 Nassau-st.

OFFICE OF THE DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL CO.,
No. 71 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, April 1, 1871.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, for the election of managers, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before them, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of New-York, on TUESDAY, May 2, 1871, at 12 o'clock M. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock M. to 1 P. M.
The transfer-books will be closed from the 1st to the 9th day of May, inclusive.
By order of the Board of Managers.
CHARLES F. HART, Treasurer.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY, Notice to stockholders. The annual election for thirteen directors of this Company for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, corner of 4th-av. and 26th-st., on TUESDAY, the 16th day of May next. The polls will be opened from 12 o'clock noon, until 2 P. M. of that day.
The transfer-books will be closed from 2 o'clock P. M. of the 8th day of May next, until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 17th day of May next.
ROBERT J. NIVEN, Secretary.
NEW-YORK, April 22, 1871.

ILLINOIS REGISTERED AND OTHER eight and ten per cent. bonds, payable in this City, for sale below par.
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INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION TO TRAVEL with a family to Europe or elsewhere, by an English girl, as maid or nurse to grown children; references satisfactory. Inquire at No. 62 5th-av., corner of 37th-st., French Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROFESsional German cook; equal to a man getting up dishes in French style, hot and cold; best City references. Inquire at No. 405 5th-av., corner of 37th-st., French office.

WANTED—A COOK'S SITUATION BY A Protestant woman to cook, wash and iron, or assist in washing; is very respectable, and a very good plain cook; country or City; has the best City references. Lady to be seen at No. 205 4th-av.

WANTED—A WAITRESS' SITUATION, BY a respectable young woman and a thorough waitress; capable of taking a man's place; understands the care of silver, getting up salads of all kinds; country or City. Best City references at 336 4th-av.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN about thirty, a situation as experienced washer, waiter or nurse; is able to do excellent plain washing, good seamstress and waitress; City or country; good City testimonials, at No. 336 4th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMpetent child's nurse, who can take care of an infant from its birth; no objections to grown children; unexceptionable references. Inquire at No. 406 5th-av., corner of 37th-st.

WANTED—BY A DRESS-MAKER, IN A private family, work by the day or week; can do all kinds of family sewing; can Grover & Baker's machine. Can be seen at No. 213 Waverley-place.

WANTED—THE POSITION OF MATRON in an institution, or as housekeeper in a private family, or the charge of children, or as companion to an invalid, by a widow of middle age, of good education, and thoroughly responsible; best of references given. Address M., Post-office Box No. 1,576 New-York.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS HOUSEkeeper, by an American widow lady of refinements and highest respectability, in a first-class family; unexceptionable references. Address H. S., Box No. 107 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST-class cook; thoroughly understands cooking in all its branches; is a perfect pastry; family; unexceptionable City reference. Call or address at No. 309 West 20th-st., first floor.

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY TWO RESpectable competent women, one as first-class cook, the other as first-class laundress, in a small family; both thoroughly competent; unexceptionable references. Call or address No. 61 West 23d-st.

WANTED—BY A SCOTCH GIRL, LATELY landed, a situation as laundress, or would do chamber-work in a private family. Can be seen for two days at No. 38 Cherry-st., between Bleecker and Macdougal sts., top floor, front.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG girl as chamber-maid and waitress; will assist with ironing; no objection to the country; best City reference. Call at No. 155 West 31st-st., between 6th and 7th avs., top floor, back.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG PROTESTANT woman, a situation as chamber-maid and seamstress; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson machine; good City reference. Call at No. 142 West 26th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman as chamber-maid and to do plain sewing; would do fine washing. Apply at her present employer's for two days, at No. 17 East 14th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, a situation as experienced waitress; has the best City references from her last employer. Call at No. 121 West 19th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG woman as chamber work or washing; and is willing to do washing and ironing; good City reference can be given. Call at No. 214 East 39th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTestant woman as laundress; country preferred for the Summer months. Can be seen at her present employer's, No. 181 Madison-av.

A LARGE NUMBER OF FIRST-CLASS servants for all positions, with excellent recommendations, constantly found at Mrs. LOWE'S, No. 303 Bowery; entrance on 1st-st.

WANTED—BY A GOOD GERMAN WOMAN, a situation to do general house-work; is willing and obliging. Call at 51 HILDE'S, No. 127 Norfolk-st.

MALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN and groom with some gentleman in City or country, by a married man, who understands his business, and is highly recommended; can milk and do plain gardening. Address J. C. R., Box 201 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN and gardener by a married man, no incumbrance; Protestant; is not afraid of work; good City references. Address for two days W. D., Box No. 201 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG Protestant Englishman as waiter in a private family; thoroughly understands his business; no objection to the country; has the best of City references. Call or address No. 158 6th-av

NOTES FROM THE PEOPLE.

The German Influence in Politics.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Every German Republican, I might say, every true German, will thank you for the well-timed article you published in the Times of April 20, entitled "The German Vote." The Germans of this City—that is the overwhelming majority of the free and independent masses—hate the shameless, corrupt and dishonest Governments disgracing our City and State; and are anxious to co-operate with any party that promises to bring about a salutary reform. All patriotic German-Americans are animated with the fervent hope and wish that the glorious Peace Jubilee just celebrated, may consummate that unity and harmony among the Teutonic element which shall be productive of the greatest amount of good. In fact the General and Executive Committees are now maturing plans and initiative movements tending to that most desirable object, and the idea of German emancipation, enthusiastically conceived and zealously pursued by the leading minds, promises to raise the masses and to carry them along on the path of triumphant victory. The vindication of their rights and claims as citizens, and the purification of the political atmosphere, now so terribly darkened by corruption and dishonesty, are the chief motives underlying this movement which is sure to gain, avalanche-like, in rise and dimension as soon as it begins to spread, and to be more appreciated.

The Germans are a people that love and cherish freedom, progress and honesty, and they will certainly be found identified with the party advocating a pure, liberal and enlightened Government, provided they are treated as equals, sharing the honors and emoluments as well as the labors, and provided their national—almost inborn and truly innocent—habits are not interfered with. The late Franco-German war has displayed the valor, prowess and culture of the German people; but the debates in the Reichstag, and the address voted by that supreme representative body, reveal in colors still more glowing the true character and genuine greatness of a nation—conquering itself in the hour of the greatest triumph, and proclaiming before the world in unmistakable language the lofty principles of peace, progress and non-intervention. Truly, the German Government, invested with the spirit of their Transcontinental brethren, are destined to play as important part in the destinies of their adopted country, and the sooner this palpable fact is appreciated by the ruling elements and powers, the better it will be for the best interests of the land. A German knowing thoroughly his countrymen may well be astonished at the speaking and recording the patriotic efforts of so influential and powerful an organ as the NEW-YORK TIMES.

A GERMAN-AMERICAN.

NEW-YORK, Friday, April 21, 1871.

The Nassau Winners.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

WINANS publishes a card defending his traitorous conduct in the act of turning his back upon his party at a moment when the imperiled interest of this City and State were about to be wrested from the hands of the spoilers. Rightly interpreted, his manifesto means this: Whereas, the sham Democracy having, by willful fraud, deprived Mr. TOWNSLEY of his seat in the Legislature, to which he was legally chosen, thus securing to that party a majority of one vote, and having, by the brutal violence of one of its representatives, lost that majority, WINANS, after having pledged himself in writing to his colleagues to be true and faithful, boldly comes to the front, shakes hands with these conspirators, and, in violation of his plighted faith, votes to restore to them a constitutional majority, which they lost by their own violence and infamous conduct.

WINANS, who does not appear to be a fool, may flatter himself this, his manifesto, will shield him from just execration; but in this he will find that he has committed an error. His name, so long as it is known to men, will continue to be a by-word and a reproach. WINANS cannot escape the indelible stain. The publication of his weak apology will only intensify the disgust which all honest men feel toward him.

Garden Produce from California.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

There has been a day with us, recently, when the question, "What have you had for dinner?" was considered of sufficient consequence to demand a full share of attention, for our table was not supplied with the product of greenhouse or market. The vegetables were traveled vegetables, and had gained their greatness and luscious crispness in the golden soil and under the favoring climate of our most western State, and in coming to us had crossed high mountains and many rivers. One good friend and founder, not satisfied with making us glad by his genial smile and pleasant words, returned, like the patriarchs of old, with heavy wagons in his train, and so we ran like children to witness the unpacking. First came his majesty the sea mon, thirty-two inches long, weighing, when dressed, thirty-two pounds; then, new potatoes, green peas and cauliflowers, plump and full enough to rejoice the heart of Isbabel Crane himself; delicate green lettuce, with crumpled leaves, and crisp celery in large bundles; asparagus, too, and cucumbers, and onions, for those who like the combination; pie-plant, and almonds, and walnuts for dessert. Such was our Californian dinner, taken thousands of miles away, in our little village, yet fresh as from the garden. As we munched our celery our thoughts went back to the discovery of that land of gold, when a journey thither was like an exile, only to be accomplished through many dangers and occupying weary months. We thought of the many lives that had been sacrificed, and the labor spent in making the rocks give up the gold and the "desert to blossom as the rose." It is said that an active working era like our own destroys all poetry. Is it prose to think of the grand cities that have risen like magic under the determined will of a powerful united people? Or is the magic wire of steady these distant shores so closely to our own that our message reaches them three hours before it is sent, the press rendering of Puck's offer to girdle the world in forty minutes? Surely, we are fast approaching the period when time shall be no more!

ALICE.

WELLS COLLEGE, AURORA, Tuesday, April 18, 1871.

Church Music.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The able article in your Sunday edition on "Church Music," nerved me to visit Christ Church to hear the effect of a choir of first-class quartet singers blended with a chancel choir of male singers. While I am willing to allow the effect was good, still it was far from perfect. The difficulty lies in its being too high church, and not sufficiently varied for a mixed congregation. Many persons around me said the services were disappointed at the very insufficient part taken by the gallery choir. They were not pleased with the chanting, either. Again, why add CUTLER to HANDEL? Surely the magnificent solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," did not require to be embellished with a chorus by CUTLER for the chancel choir. If the musical directors will take advantage of the materials he has at hand, and will let the chancel choir do all the chanting, and give a first-class "Te Deum" and "Jubilate," as well as the anthem and offertory, and also in the morning, and the canticles sung as anthems, with the anthem and offertory music in the evening by the gallery choir, and will use the other voices to give more variety, he will make the experiment a success. I heard the remark, "Why is one soprano allotted all the solos, when there are two, as well as two altos, [illegible] had each all solo chances?"

A WELL-WISHER OF THE CHURCH.

Tenement Cholera.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

It is not generally known to the tax-payers of this State that the present Democratic Legislature have recently bestowed a fortune upon the Clerks of the two Houses. If you will hastily examine Assembly bill No. 664, recently passed, known as the "Supply bill," you will find that the Democratic Clerk of the Assembly, COMMELIUS W. ARMSTRONG, is to receive of the people's money $10,250; while the Democratic Clerk of the Senate, HIRAM CALKINS, only receives $10,000. If the bill is carefully examined, other small sums may be found inserted for these unfortunate, ever-worked gentlemen.

TAX-PAYER.

NEW-YORK, Tuesday, April 18, 1871.

The New-Rochelle Election.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In your notice of the New-Rochelle election in your yesterday's issue, you say that the result was the success of the Anti-Improvement ticket. This statement is entirely untrue. The gentlemen elected are all in favor of improvement. They are each and all opposed to the Ring movements of the late Board, and believe that the people should be consulted as to all improvements. That was the issue, and it was successful. The President elect is well known for his liberal views as to improvements; but he believes in the right of instruction, and that the representative is not superior to the people who elected him. The remainder of the ticket is equally liberal. I send you my name which is at your service.

S.

BASE-BALL.

First Games of the Season by the Mutuals —Playing by the New Nines.

Yesterday afternoon a large crowd of spectators assembled at the Union Grounds, to witness the playing of the new professional nine of the Mutual Club, in a match with the juniors of the Chelsea Club. The weather was good, and the grounds were in fine condition. The Chelseas did not have their third base man or catcher, but they nevertheless presented a strong nine, and the game opened in a style which promised a close and exciting contest, the close of the third inning leaving the score at 2 to 1 only in favor of the Mutuals. In their fourth innings the Mutuals, after earning three runs, got into some very heavy batting, and before they were disposed of they had run up a score of 17. During this inning rain began to fall, and the batsmen, of course, had the best of it. At the close of the fourth inning the storm obliged the umpire to call the game, the score standing at 19 to one in favor of the Mutuals. The score of runs each inning was as follows:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	
Mutuals	4	6	6	17	—19
Chelsea	1	0	0	0	—1

The Mutuals play their Amateur nine on Monday, and the Resolutes at Waverly on the 26th.

Among the additional games arranged are the following:

April 24—Haymakers vs. Athletic, of Brooklyn, on the Capitoline Grounds.

April 27—Bedford vs. Brooklyn, on the Union Grounds.

April 28—Mutual vs. Resolute, at Waverly, N. J.

THE ACTIVE CLUB OPENING.

Today the Active Club, of this City, after being a defunct club for two years, will open play once more in a game, not at Hoboken, as of old, but as Morrisania, on the old Union Grounds. They will play on an out-and-out amateur basis.

The Norton Reception.

From noon until midnight yesterday Gotham was deserted by the thieves and political vagabonds who usually infest it, and the Police returns will doubtless show a paucity of arrests for robberies and rowdyism during those hours. At noon the friends of MICHAEL NORTON, Senator from the Eighth District, embarked on board the steam-boat *Sleepy Hollow* and two barges, to proceed to Yonkers, there to meet the Honorable Senator and escort him in triumph to his home. The throng—who were enticed by the prospect of a free ride, free drinks and a free feed—numbered about seven thousand. The City must have been ransacked for its worst characters, for from the time the company assembled until the boats reached Yonkers the scene was one of riot and boundless rascality. Persons who had been enticed on board by the representations that they would have an enjoyable trip, no sooner touched the deck than they were hustled about by a gang of rowdies and thieves, who stripped them of their pocket-books, which, after being rifled, were coolly handed back to them. Soon after the boats left the wharf at noon the rioting became general, and the efforts of the thirty policemen were unavailing to preserve order. The patrons of the entertainment were led by their tickets of invitation to suppose that the food and drinks would be free, but to their astonishment and intense disgust, they found that the reverse was the case, and accordingly proceeded to "clean out" the table. By the time the boats arrived at Yonkers, a large number of the guests were so destrous of leaving that they paid $10 each to boatmen to convey them on shore. It was not deemed safe to allow the boats to land at Yonkers, and, accordingly, the Honorable Senator, in whose behalf all this fuss was made, was taken on board the steam-boat by the Gulick Club in their eight-oared barge, accompanied by Senator TOM. CREAMER. On the way down, the miseries of a crowd deprived of liquid consolation may be imagined. Riot was rife all the way down to the City, and by the time the crowd was landed at midnight they were in no condition to march along the designated route, but straggled and staggered, with wild yells and hootings, which drowned the music of the band, through Twenty-third-street, Eighth-avenue, Jackson-square, Greenwich-avenue, Sixth-avenue, Carmine-street, Bleecker-street, Broadway, and Spring-street to the headquarters of the Michael Norton Association, in Hudson-street, near Spring. The food upon which these "seasers" fed consisted of the following edibles and drinkables furnished by ASHMAN & MOUTON: 100 kegs of lager, 50 cases of champagne, 100 dozen of soda, 5,000 cigars, 300 gallons of chowder, 50 gallons of turtle-soup, 300 loaves of bread, 5 dozen hams, 400 pounds of corned beef, 1,000 sandwiches, 30 gallons of brandy, 10 gallons of gin, 5 gallons of sherry and 1 barrel of whisky.

The Coolie Question Discussed by Workingmen—Noisy Time Among Carmine Young.

The Working Man's Union met last evening at No. 227 Bowery, Mr. D. S. GRIFFIN presiding. Mr. SHERAN, of San Francisco, a delegate from the Grand International Lodge Knights of St. Crispin, addressed the meeting on the question of coolie labor. He remarked that the evil involved in this question was on the increase, and not only encroached on the shoemakers but on every other trade in the country. All efforts to obtain a remedy through Democratic or Republican instrumentality proved futile, and the body he represented now declared its uncompromising hostility to the corrupt and unprincipled capitalists who sought to degrade them to the level of Asiatic and other inferior races. He asserted it was the duty of every man in sympathy with the Working Men's Union to discountenance the importation of coolie labor into the country, and to patronize none who employ them to the exclusion of white labor. In conclusion he said these Chinamen were the purchased slaves of capitalists, and while repudiating all acts of violence as derogatory to their principles, he said that by determined action they could attain their purpose by peaceable measures.

Mr. CUMMINGS, of Massachusetts, counseled a more liberal spirit, maintaining that the root of the evil was traced to the conduct of capitalists. There was no action taken in regard to the discussion on the complaint preferred against Coroner YOUNG of appropriating funds from the funds of the Union for electioneering purposes, was then declared in order. The floor was immediately filled with partisans of Mr. GRIFFIN, who makes the allegation, and of Mr. YOUNG, claiming to be heard on innumerable motions, resolutions and amendments, which continued amid the greatest uproar almost the entire evening, to the total exclusion of the regular business of the association. At 10½ o'clock, nothing definite having been arrived at, the meeting was adjourned. The sensible members of the organization express the opinion that the introduction of politics into their discussions will not advance the interests of the organization.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

The main hall of the splendid house on West Thirtieth-street, near Sixth-avenue, lately erected for the use of Boys' Grammar School No. 70, was yesterday crowded with the 800 pupils of the institution and the visitors who had come to attend their reception on the completion of the building. BERNARD SMYTH, President of the Board of Education, presided, and the exercises were directed by Mr. HUGH CARLTON, Principal of the school. The entertainment consisted of singing, recitations, dialogues, and gymnastic exercises by the boys, and a reading of "Thanatopsis" by Miss ANNIE FARRELL, one of the teachers. Addresses were made by WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT, Gen. WEBB, President of the Free College, HENRY KIDDLE, City Superintendent of Schools, and JAMES W. GERARD, Esq.

A concert was given last evening at the Eleventh-street Episcopal Chapel by the pupils of the Sunday-school. The programme consisted of twenty pieces, the whole of which were well rendered. The opening address was made by WILLIS COOK. Declamations by Jacob BACON and MAMIE BEATTIE, two members of the infant school, were loudly applauded. The duet, "What are the Wild Waves Saying?" by Misses L. KEUBE and OTTO, two of the teachers, was sung with great precision. The musical arrangements were ably conducted by M. RUGEE, Miss S. L. COLEMAN presiding at the pianoforte.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals announces that water-fountains, for the use of horses and other dumb beasts during the Summer, may be found at the following places: At Bowling-green; corner of Liberty-street and Maiden-lane; corner of Second and Houston streets; at Union-square, facing Fourteenth-street; at the Worth Monument, Twenty-fourth-street and Fifth-avenue; corner of East Broadway and Grand-street; corner of Christopher and Hudson streets; at the junction of Broadway and Park-row; foot of Wall-street, and at the junction of West and Reade streets.

The Western Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association celebrated their fifth anniversary at their rooms in Hudson-street, last evening. The programme consisted of singing, and addresses delivered by Rev. GEORGE J. MINGINS, Rev. ISAAC RILEY, and Rev. Mr. COOKMAN. The Secretary reported that the Society had made great advancement during the period of its existence, and was now in an exceedingly flourishing condition.

The Fifteenth Assembly District Republican Association met last night at No. 246 West Thirty-third-street. Resolutions were offered denouncing the traitor WINANS; approving of the appointments of Hon. ADDISON H. SAPLIN as Naval Officer, and of Hon. WILLIAM A. DARLING as Appraiser; expressing confidence in Hon. WILLIAM CURTIS and Hon. JACKSON S. SCHULTZ as reorganizers of the Republican Party in the City, and urging immediate reorganization.

GEORGE BECKLE, of No. 33 First-avenue, received a severe cut in the leg, last evening, from a butcher's cleaver thrown at him by MICHAEL MULLEN, of No. 620 East Eleventh-street, while in the new market at the foot of East Eighteenth-street. As the knife was thrown in sport, with no intention of injuring him, BECKLE refused to make any complaint, but MULLEN was arrested and locked up in the Eighteenth Precinct Station-house.

The Fair held by the ladies of Zion Episcopal Church, at Lyric Hall, on Sixth-avenue, opposite Reservoir-square, closes this afternoon and evening. The various tables, the post-office, soda-fount, &c., and especially the restaurant, present unusual attractions. A sewing-machine, chair, toilet-stand, and other articles will be disposed of in shares this evening.

In an affray at No. 101 Greene-street, last evening, MINNIE HEDDEN and MARY MILLER in the former's dwelling, and the latter struck LIZZIE STEWART in the face with a knife, inflicting a slight wound. The Police endeavored to arrest the whole party, but only succeeded in taking MINNIE and MARY, who were locked up in the Eighth Precinct Station-house.

The funeral of Mr. ARCHIBALD RUSSELL was solemnized by Rev. Dr. JOHN C. SMITH, at the Church of the Ascension, on Fifth-avenue, yesterday. Among the mourners present were Messrs. DEPEYSTER, SMITH and FOSTER. The body was removed to Woodlawn Cemetery for interment.

The last in the course of popular free lectures before the Eastern Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, will be delivered at their rooms at No. 478 Grand-street, on Monday evening, by Rev. J. HYATT SMITH, his subject being "Sight-Seeing from New-York to Jerusalem."

A large committee, comprising many of our prominent citizens, has been organized for the purpose of preparing a handsome reception to the Grand Duke ALEXIS, on his arrival in this country. This committee will be announced in a few days.

The members of the Cotton Exchange, at a meeting held for the purpose, had under discussion the subject of the proposed new building on the site recently purchased for the use of the Exchange, fronting on Hanover-square, Pearl and Stone streets.

The receiver of the Commonwealth Fire Insurance Company requests all parties indebted to that corporation to render an account thereof to him, at the office of the Company, No. 151 Broadway.

Rev. Dr. WYATT, of this City, formerly rector of one of the leading parishes in San Francisco, is to be invited to take charge of the Church of the Incarnation, at Baltimore.

Mayor HALL, yesterday, announced that either in the first or second week of May the reports of the various City Departments would be ready for transmission to the Common Council.

While at work, yesterday, in the sugar-refinery No. 23 Leonard-street, ROBERT CORDT fell through the hatchway and was seriously injured.

Rev. T. DE WITT TALMAGE, of Brooklyn, will address the monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association next Monday evening.

Miss JULIA COLMAN will deliver her popular lecture entitled "Alcohol Our Enemy," at Washington Hall, Williamsburg, to-morrow evening.

BROOKLYN.

The residence of Mr. CHARLES HEMSTEAD, at No. 22 Elm-place, was damaged to the extent of $280 by fire yesterday; fully insured.

CATHARINE NOLAN fell from the third-story window of her residence, No. 69 Lafayette-avenue, on Thursday night, and was fatally injured.

Justice GILBERT, in the Supreme Court, yesterday, issued a peremptory mandamus compelling the Mayor to sign $150,000 of water and sewerage bonds. An appeal will be taken to the General Term of the Supreme Court.

NEW-JERSEY.

In the suit of the heirs of THOS. CRESSWELL against the Central New-Jersey Railroad Company, in the Middlesex County Supreme Court, New-Brunswick, a verdict of $8,000 damages was given for the plaintiffs. Mr. CRESSWELL, while crossing the railroad track at Plainfield, in December, 1869, was struck by a locomotive and killed. It is alleged that none of the signals required by law were given by the employes on the train.

Mrs. MARGARET GRANER, wife of Mr. P. GRANER, a grocer, doing business at the corner of Pierce and Paterson avenues, Jersey City, drowned herself in the cistern at her residence on Thursday night. She is supposed to have been insane.

Hon. WM. MCKENNA, United States Circuit Judge for New-Jersey, Pennsylvania, and the adjoining States south, was in Newark yesterday. He was the guest of United States District-Attorney KEASBEY.

A company has been organized at Orange for the purpose of building a large and handsome market-house. The capital of the Company is $150,000. DWIGHT M. BABCOCK has been elected President.

Capt. ROBINSON, late Captain of the Third Police Precinct, of Jersey City, sent his resignation to the Board before his successor was appointed, and immediately "qualified" as successor.

Efforts are being made in Paterson to form a company for the purpose of erecting a large market-house. The proposed capital of the company is $200,000.

A large number of cases of scarlet fever, of a very virulent form, is reported in Hoboken. Thirty cases and three deaths were reported yesterday alone.

The Board of Finance of Jersey City have elected EZRA A. CARMAN Controller, and W. H. HOBENBLOWER City Treasurer.

HART, the man convicted of a number of burglaries at Englewood, has been sentenced to the State Prison for four years.

The New-Jersey Midland Railroad will be opened from Paterson to Bloomingdale on the 1st of May.

J. P. BONNELL, of New-Brunswick, has been appointed Harbor-master at Elizabethport.

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Closing of Foreign Mails at Post-Office.

SATURDAY.

For Europe, via Queenstown, by the *City of Brussels*, at 11:30 A. M., with a supplementary mail for double paid letters only on Pier, No. 46, North River, until 1:30 P. M. For Germany, via Bremen, by the *Rhein*, at 12 M. For France, via Brest, by the *Pereire*, at —A. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way	8 A. M.; 2 P. M.
North, through via H. R. R. R. and New-York Central	8 A. M.; 4:00, 9 P. M.
North, via New-Haven	8 A. M.; 1:30 P. M.
East, via New-Haven	8 A. M.; 1:30, 4 P. M.
East, via Newport	2 P. M.
East, New-Haven Way	8 A. M.; 2:30 P. M.
East, Fall River, &c.	8 A. M.
South, Through	8 A. M.; 7:00 P. M.
Philadelphia Way	8 A. M.; 4:00 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver	7 A. M.; 1:00 P. M.
West, Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. & G. W. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn., &c.	8 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.

Passengers Arrived.

In steam-ship Missouri, from Havana.—The Bishop of Havana and secretary, John Lambden and servant, Miss G. Saunder, R. W. Merrill, Mrs. R. Gray and infant, Ramon Menendia, F. M. Martin, S. C. Maples, Germain Cisneros, Angel Desantis, Juan Grana, Ramon Yborra, E. M. Coll, Benjamin Pomelles, Juan Parsons, Francisco Marques and wife, John Branger and 3 children, Jose Trujillo, F. W. Harrison, Jose Pimental, Asta Carsille and wife, Ansa Gabar, Frona Nassah—J. B. Crosby, wife and daughter, Mrs. C. W. Standart, Frank Standart and nurse, E. G. Horn and wife, A. D. H. Herny, M. Bainbridge, Mrs. Jackson, James Johnson, Wm. Seger, Mrs. Sawyer, Miss O. Sawyer, F. Conway, A. Centra, A. Pedroan, A. C. Brown, Dr. Hunt, M. Townsend, E. H. Rana, M. Dicken, M. Beertain, J. Zayas, Mrs. Wessen, M. Wessen, J. C. Banning, James Blythe, John Reynolds, Wm. Laurie, John Fabes.

In steam-ship South America, from Rio Janeiro, &c.—S. S. Battin, Edward Fales, E. G. Torok, J. A. G. Comstock, Dr. O. W. E. Van Tyl and family, H. Ratther and family, Eusebio Machain. From Bahia—T. E. Berall. From Pernambuco—Capt. Leio and family, Dr. Lia & Dias, J. B. G. Campos, G. V. V. Leidgerwood, Quintaire, from Rosario, for Valparaiso, in ballast 19 S., and lon. 34 W., 25 days out.

PORTRESS MONROE, April 21.—Passed in for Baltimore schr. Addie Bradley, from the West Indies.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 21.—Cld. schr. Burdett Hart, for New-Haven.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Arr. British ship Vancouver, Lewis, Newcastle, New South Wales, via Marquesas Islands. At the time of the latter's departure whales were plenty.

Sld. ship Golden Gate, for Liverpool, with wheat.

Disasters.

NORWICH, Conn., April 21.—The bark Trinity, of New London, Conn., owned by Messrs. Lawrence & Co., with 200 tons of elephant oil, from the South Georgian Islands, went ashore on Fisher Island at about 9 o'clock last night. Tugs have gone to her assistance, but she will probably go to pieces.

KEY WEST, Fla., April 21.—The schr. Sarah, from Mobile, with lumber for Havana, put into Tortugas leaking, and sunk in the harbor.

The bark [illegible] Wiez (of Halifax,) Fearcom from the West Indies, with a cargo of rum for New-York, went ashore 15 miles N. of Harbogue this A. M.

Foreign Ports.

HAVANA, April 19.—Arr. steam-ship City of Mexico, Timmerman, from Vera Cruz, for New-York, to sail Saturday, April 22.

EUROPEAN MARINE NEWS.

Arrived Out.

LONDON, April 21.—The Allan line steam-ship Nova Scotian, Capt. Richardson, from Baltimore, arr. out last evening.

Disaster.

LONDON, April 22.—The ship Royal Arthur, from San Francisco, for Liverpool, before reported ashore near Waterford, has become a total wreck.

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